

PATHOLOGISTS' ASSISTANT (PA) JOB DESCRIPTION

SUMMARY

Associated Pathologists, PA is a large, hospital-based practice, serving seven (7) regional hospitals in the Tampa Bay area within BayCare, signing out over 45,000 surgical pathology cases per year. We are seeking a motivated Pathologists' Assistant to support our growth.

As a large hospital-based practice, there is a wide variety of surgical specimens ranging from GI biopsies and placentas to Whipple resections, and a Women's Center generating stereotactic breast biopsies, mastectomies and complex GYN oncology specimens.

We are looking for an enthusiastic individual with excellent communication skills who is eager to become a part of our dynamic operation. We currently have six (6) full-time PAs and are seeking an additional PA to add to our team. We pride ourselves on working together to provide the highest quality patient care.

PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Responsible for gross examination and dictation of a wide variety of simple to complex surgical specimens.
- Assists pathologists with frozen sections, intraoperative consultations, and ancillary testing.
- Maintains digital files, ensuring a high standard of specimen photography.
- Responsible for fetal autopsies.
- Rotational and occasional call-coverage at our facilities, as needed.
- Required Saturday rotational coverage. (Approx 7-8 times per year).
- Performs miscellaneous job-related duties as assigned.
- Proficiency in Cerner Millennium LIS a plus.

KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL REQUIREMENTS

- Knowledge of accreditation and certification requirements and standards.
- Ability to maintain quality, safety, and/or infection control standards.
- Knowledge of dissection, anatomical description, and histological sampling methods and techniques.
- Knowledge of pathology procedures, protocols, and techniques.
- Ability to perform frozen sections and other intra-operative consultations.
- Knowledge of biological specimen disposition, maintenance and storage procedures and techniques.

REQUIRED EDUCATION / EXPERIENCE

- Current certification from the American Association of Pathologists' Assistants or the American Society for Clinical Pathology (ASCP) is preferred. New graduates with upcoming certification eligibility are also considered qualified.



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LOCATION

Our current locations consist of St. Joseph's Hospital, St. Joseph's Women's Hospital, St. Joseph's Hospital South, St. Joseph's Hospital North, South Florida Baptist Hospital, Winter Haven Hospital, and BayCare Hospital Wesley Chapel. This position will require occasional rotational coverage at these facilities and expansion facilities.

APPLICANTS

The successful applicant must have strong communication and leadership skills. The position is available immediately. Curriculum Vitae, a cover letter detailing experience and specific interests, and references should be sent to:

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