

FamilyCare, Inc. is a Medicaid and Medicare managed healthcare organization based in Portland, Oregon. We embody our mission statement--***Creating Healthy Individuals through Innovative Systems***--in everything we do. Our dedication to customer service has earned us an outstanding reputation in the Northwest healthcare industry.

We believe that in order to build on our 25+ year tradition of success, we must continue to seek out and attract talented individuals. We offer a challenging work environment with opportunities for growth and development. Communication is encouraged, and excellence is rewarded. **FamilyCare offers a competitive benefits package which includes health, dental, and vision insurance as well as a 401k plan and 4 weeks annual PTO.**

FamilyCare, Inc. is seeking a part-time (.8 FTE) **Clinical Pharmacist** who will be accountable for the following:

- Serve as clinical expert for all formulary management activities, including looking for ways to streamline and improve processes.
- Develop and maintain Medicaid, Medicare Part D, and other formularies.
- Assist providers in choosing drug therapies that will meet member's needs consistent with covered benefits. When clinically appropriate, collaborate to make cost effective choices.
- Coordinate and lead the Pharmacy and Therapeutics (P&T) Committee.
- With the assistance of the Pharmacy and Therapeutics committee, evaluate scientific evidence to select appropriate drugs for FamilyCare members. Assess the effectiveness of new treatments for diseases and formulate recommendations.
- Develop and maintain evidence based criteria for prior authorization of prescription requests.
- Assure consistent cross-departmental communication regarding pharmaceutical initiatives and/or issues that affect other departments and work collaboratively to assure integration of Pharmacy services.
- Communicate effectively with patients, prescribers, coworkers, and pharmacists to assure the delivery of high quality pharmacy benefit services.
- Monitor the prescription drug pipeline and develop appropriate utilization management criteria, therapeutic class reviews, and member/provider communications regarding benefit exception requests and drug policy decisions.
- Maintain knowledge of current and emerging trends in drug formulary and pharmacy benefit design.
- Evaluate drug utilization appropriateness and develop drug education plans/strategies to promote cost-effective prescribing.
- Provide clinical supervision for Pharmacy staff.
- Administer the prior authorization process by reviewing requests and obtaining additional information from providers in order to make coverage determinations.
- Provide drug information to Medical Directors, Network Providers, and members.
- Develop and present continuing education and staff development programs.
- Identify system limitations and problems; make recommendations to resolve issues and improve systems
- Educate members about drugs they are taking or those being suggested by their providers..
- Provide leadership in the form of communication, coordination, and accountability.
- Coordinate drug utilization review and Prior Authorization process to promote member safety and fiscal accountability.

Requirements Include:

- Bachelor's degree in Pharmacy.
- Current Oregon Pharmacist license.
- Minimum of three (3) years of Pharmacy experience in managed care environment.
- Excellent knowledge of all aspects of formulary management, including but not limited to managing preferred drug list, communicating formulary updates, and maintaining formulary documents.

- Experience developing evidence based criteria and policies.
- Demonstrated ability to work collaboratively in a team environment utilizing excellent interpersonal and problem solving skills.
- Valid driver's license.

FamilyCare is proud to be an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer. To ensure that we continue to hire competent, ethical, and trustworthy individuals, all candidates must successfully complete a thorough background investigation and drug screen prior to receiving any offer of employment from FamilyCare.

To apply, please email your cover letter and resume with salary requirements to:
jobs@familycareinc.org