



## Employment Opportunities

Situated in the foothills of the Appalachian Mountains and bordered by the Catawba River, Catawba County offers the hospitality and connectivity of a mid-sized community with convenient access to area amenities and North Carolina's scenic outdoors. We are an ideal home for those with a sense of adventure and a heart for hard work.

Our community's work ethic is reflected throughout our organization: if it can be done, we'll do it. If we can improve it, it'll get better. And if we can do it together, it'll be the best it can possibly be. We invite you to join our team in Catawba County, where we are dedicated to *Making. Living. Better.* - for our employees, our community, and our future - every day.

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Position:	<b>Bilingual Public Health Postpartum Newborn Home Visiting Nurse – Hourly</b>
Department:	Public Health
Salary:	\$25.00/hour (Negotiable Dependent upon Qualifications)
Closing Date:	<b>Open Until Filled</b>

Catawba County Public Health is currently recruiting an hourly Bilingual (Spanish-English) Registered Nurse to work approximately 10 hours per week to conduct home visits with newly delivered mothers and their newborns. During these visits, you will provide nursing assessment, anticipatory guidance, education, early detection, and referral to needed medical, developmental, behavioral, psychosocial, and community services. ***This an hourly position, with no benefits associated. Schedule is flexible, based on needs of clients.***

### RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Receive Postpartum Newborn home visit referrals from various referrals sources including Pregnancy Care Managers, medical providers, and hospitals
- Schedule and visit mothers and their newborns within 60 days of delivery
- Perform interview and nursing assessment of the mother and baby, identify areas of concern, and make appropriate referrals
- Provide support, anticipatory guidance, and education to the mother
- Document assessments and complete billing forms

### QUALIFICATIONS:

- Bachelor's degree in Nursing, which includes a Public Health Nursing rotation, and 1 year of Public Health Nursing experience; OR
- Associates degree in professional nursing and 2 years of professional nursing experience, including 1 year of Public Health Nursing experience
- Two years of Maternal, Pediatric or Critical Care nursing experience can be substituted for one year of Public Health experience.
- **Must be bilingual (Spanish-English)**

**ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:**

- Valid Registered Nursing license in the State of North Carolina
- Valid Driver's license with safe driving record
- Effective knowledge of or experience in Mother/Baby Nursing
- Strong verbal and writing skills
- Ability to work independently with minimal supervision
- This position is considered light duty, lifting up to 20 pounds.

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## To apply...

Apply on line at <http://www.catawbacountync.gov/county-services/human-resources/> on or before the posted closing date. OUF is Open Until Filled. For questions, call (828) 465-8383. Although accompanying resumes are welcome, a completed Catawba County application is required in order to be considered. Catawba County is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Pre-employment drug tests and criminal background checks are required on final internal and external candidate(s) applying for positions with the County.

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