

*Founded in 1927, Austin Peay State University is a comprehensive, state-assisted university with an enrollment of approximately 9,000 students. APSU was named in honor of the late Tennessee Governor Austin Peay, who served from 1923–1927.*

*With a main campus in Clarksville, Tenn. and a satellite campus on post at Fort Campbell, Ky., APSU is one of 47 universities, community colleges and technology centers in the Tennessee Board of Regents system, the sixth largest system of higher education in the nation. The University offers a full range of academic programs at the associate, baccalaureate and master's degree levels in the arts, sciences, business and selected professional programs. APSU offers 13 online degree programs and hundreds of Web-based classes. Among APSU's many points of distinction are its outstanding programs in the sciences, two centers of excellence in the creative arts and field biology and four chairs of excellence in the creative arts, business, free enterprise and nursing.*

*An integral part of Clarksville, a rapidly growing city of more than 100,000 located 45 minutes northwest of Nashville, the University led the state in enrollment growth in recent years. Since 2000, Austin Peay has renovated and erected numerous top-of-the-line facilities on its 160-acre main. Of the universities offering classes on post at Fort Campbell, only APSU has been given permission to construct its own building. The University enrolls more students at the Fort Campbell Center than the other five institutions combined.*

**Nurse Practitioner  
Boyd Health Services  
Regular Full-Time 10-Month Position  
Position Number 526500**

**General Description**

The nurse practitioner for the ambulatory health services reports to the Director of Health Services. Primary responsibilities include providing holistic health care to the APSU community to include students, staff and faculty.

**Primary Duties and Responsibilities**

- Provide acute care of illness, maintenance of chronic illness, and preventative health care in concert with the APSU physician(s) for students, staff and faculty.
- Provide direct patient care, including diagnosis of illnesses, evaluation of injuries and administration of treatment under established protocols.
- Provide patient education.
- Provide emergency medical care as needed.
- Assist in the planning and implementation of department outreach programs (in concert with other staff) focusing on health related topics.
- Serve on appropriate University committees.
- Attend appropriate local, regional and national meetings and conferences for professional development and to represent the health services, the Division of Student Affairs and the University.
- Supervise Licensed Practical Nurse and Graduate Assistant.
- Perform other job-related duties as assigned.

**Essential Functions**

- Ability to provide quality health care for University students, faculty and staff.
- Ability to provide quality health education for University students, faculty and staff.
- Ability to provide emergency triage services and treatment.
- Must have an understanding of the physical and psychosocial developmental needs of university students.
- Ability to participate in community activities and professional organizations/meetings.
- Ability to communicate effectively and appropriately.
- Ability to maintain confidentiality of records and information.
- Ability to interact in an effective and appropriate manner with diverse populations, the University community and the public.
- Ability to detect and correct grammatical and spelling errors in written correspondence.
- Ability to maintain files accurately, in paper and in software programs.
- Ability to handle multiple tasks simultaneously.
- Ability to effectively supervise personnel and complete all associated personnel actions in a timely and accurate manner.

**Required Minimum Qualifications**

- Registered nurse and an accredited certificate or master's level program for preparation as a family or adult nurse practitioner.
- Certification as a family or adult nurse practitioner.
- Eligibility for licensure as a registered nurse in the State of Tennessee.
- Eligibility for prescriptive privileges in the State of Tennessee.
- One year experience in an ambulatory care setting, preferably college health.
- A background check will be required of the successful applicant.

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