CONTACT NAME: Brandyce Parks, Program Manager

Kim O., Mother of Patient

Location: North County San Diego, Valley Center (about 5 minutes from the Primary school on Fruitvale Road).

Salary: \$66.18/hr, plus gas mileage to and from case for every shift, and Holiday Pay at time and a half.

Contact phone: 760-470-0386 for Kim O., mother who can give interested nurses more info on nursing care needs of her son.

Background: Patient has a unique and inspirational case. In 2009, patient was neglected and injured in a group home setting so mother fought in court for 24/7 nursing care at home so patient would never have to live in a group home setting again. In 2016, after fighting numerous court battles, mother won 24/7 nursing care for her son. Patient now lives on his parent's property in his own healthcare trailer with 2:1 staffing (one nurse and one caregiver) 24/7. Patient is a 5'7", 150 lb., sweet non-verbal adult with severe autism who has seizures that must be monitored and promptly treated with prescribed rescue medications and oxygen. Patient averages 2-3 tonic clonic-seizures a week, but is otherwise healthy and ambulatory. On night shifts patient sleeps 5-10 hours of the 12-hour shift, but this is when he has the most seizures, so nurses must be alert and ready to apply oxygen and monitor time of seizure in case he requires rescue IM Ativan. Patient is a kaiser member so all nurses work under Kaiser doctor's orders. There are currently two other full-time day nurses on case, with one nurse also covering two nights a week. Thus, Patient urgently needs night nurses to cover 7pm-7am evening shifts.

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