**Unit Name** Satellite Hemodialysis  

**Unit Location** Berwick, Liverpool, Pictou, Springhill, Cleveland  

**Program** Renal Program  

**Nova Scotia Health Authority Outpatient Service Profile**  

The purpose of this Profile is to provide Nurses with an overview of each service area.

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# Patient Care

## Patient Population
- Chronic hemodialysis treatments

## Average Patient Age Range
- 18-98

## Nursing Model of Care
- Primary Nursing: ____
- Team Nursing: ____
- Other: ____
- Total Patient Care: ____
- Modified Total Patient Care: X____
- Other: ____

## Systems

### Medication System
- Traditional: ____
- Unit Dosage: ____
- Other: X____

**Other:** ward stock

### Scheduling
- Manager: X____
- Self: ____

### Average Number of Staff per Shift
- Days: RN 0-1 LPN 1-2 CTA____
- Evenings: RN____ LPN____ CTA____
- Nights: RN____ LPN____ CTA____

### Service Hours
- Berwick, Liverpool, Springhill, Pictou Monday to Saturday 0630-1830
- Cleveland Monday, Wednesday, Friday 0630-1830; Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday 0630-1230

### Length of Shift
- 6hr: X____
- 12 hr: X____
- Other: ____

### Staff

#### Staff Mix
- RN: 40-50% LPN: 40-50% CTA: 0%

#### Physician Coverage
- On Call: X____
- On Site: ___
- N/A: ___

*Please mark answer with an "X".*
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**Required Skills, Qualifications & Experience**

**RN**

*Registered Nurses provide professional nursing services, deliver health education programs and provide consultative nursing services to promote, maintain and restore patient health.*

- **Responsibilities**
  Work as a part of the multidisciplinary team to hemodialysis to patients in chronic renal failure. Patient assessment, Initiate, monitor and terminate a hemodialysis treatment, acute hemodialysis treatments

- **Skills Required**
  Central line management, fistula care, administer medications including IV direct, assist with tunneled catheter removals, patient education, immunizations,

- **Additional Responsibilities**
  Fast paced environment with the potential for rapidly changing patient conditions.

- **Additional License/Certification/Education required**

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