Aureus Medical Group

Omaha, NE

The personnel shortage is driving the success of national staffing firms such as Aureus Medical Group. For 20 years, Aureus Medical has built a solid reputation in health care recruiting and staffing. The personnel shortage has increased demand for laboratorians across the board. Aureus Medical, which has teams that specialize in different regions of the country, will pay for travel and housing, enabling laboratorians to obtain employment in a variety of locations.

According to Craig Wolf (*pictured below*), vice president and general manager, Aureus Medical conducts business in all 50 states and offers direct hire and contract staffing opportunities. Popular in the nursing, radiology, respiratory care, radiation oncology and rehabilitation professions, contract hiring is gaining momentum in the lab profession. The typical length of a contract is 26 weeks, and can be extended to 1 year or even longer.

Depending on the season, different areas of the country will require an increase in staff to meet the growing demands of the population. This allows hospitals and clinics the flexibility of adding staff without having to hire full-time staff that are not needed in an off season.

The opportunities don't end there. Aureus Medical, which can keep you employed 40 hours a week, 52 weeks of the year, offers a full benefit package including 401(k), malpractice, health care insurance and educational reimbursements.

"What sets Aureus apart from our competitors is our responsiveness," Wolf explained. "When employees or clients call us, we must be accessible. If a call does go to voicemail, we are sure to return the call that day. We understand that having a close relationship with our employees epitomizes our belief that our employees always come first!"

Employees at Aureus Medical believe in the "no phone goes unanswered" mission and provide 24 hours service, 7 days a week. In essence, Wolf said, "we offer flexibility and stability to every employee that works for us."

"The diversification of our firm is also important to our clients," he continued. "We work in radiology, respiratory therapy, rehabilitation, radiation oncology and nursing along with the lab professions. We are a one-stop shop."

Aureus Medical's qualification process is extensive and user friendly. Applications and skill checklists are accessible via the Aureus Medical Web site. Résumés and references also can be attached electronically once the application has been filled out. After the initial process is complete, interviews are conducted over the phone and hiring decisions are made in a timely fashion. The firm is open to interviewing new graduates to candidates with multiple years of experience.

"Because we are working in the best interest of patient care, our clients expect a person from Aureus Medical to adapt to their culture and to come in and hit the ground running," Wolf said. "We want to make sure Aureus Medical employees are independent and hard working. We pride ourselves in taking great care of our employees so they in turn give their best effort to each of our clients." ■

For more information on the services provided at Aureus Medical, visit www.aureusmedical.com or contact Craig Wolf at cwolf@aureusmedical.com.