

The Nurse Practitioner

A Primary Health Care Professional

A Nurse Practitioner is a registered nurse who has advanced education and clinical training in a health care specialty area.

Nurse Practitioners practice under rules and regulations of the Nurse Practice Act of the state in which they work. They work directly under a supervising physician who oversees and reviews their charts on a regular basis. They can prescribe pharmaceuticals when needed. They provide primary health care in a number of specialty areas such as:

- Acute Care
- Emergency
- Family Medicine
- Elder Health
- Neonatal/Perinatal
- Occupation Health
- Pediatric/Child Health
- Women's Health
- Psychiatric/mental Health

Missouri River Medical Center is proud to have Nurse Practitioners on staff. They are a vital part of our Medical Provider team and aside from their clinical appointments they cover call time for our nursing home and emergency services. Take advantage of their expertise next time you have need for medical treatment.