

Bonus



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Shift Your Hospital Choice and We'll Offer You a \$2.00 Per Hour Shift Differential

Ingalls Memorial Hospital, John Stroger Hospital, Northwestern Memorial Hospital and West Suburban Hospital have been extremely busy for the past several weeks and the trend seems likely to continue for the next couple of months. In order to encourage you to staff these facilities, we are offering a \$2.00 per hour differential for every shift you work at these hospitals from August 28, 2005 to November 26, 2005.

Ingalls Memorial Hospital has been ordering ER, ICU, Tele, and M/S. **The pay rates at Ingalls will actually increase by \$4.00 per hour because we are offering our higher pay rates there for the duration of the bonus period.** You must have a mumps titer or MMR in order to work there. If you do not have this we can send you the paperwork to have it done (at no cost to you) through The Nurse Agency.

John Stroger Hospital has been ordering PICU, Critical Care, Emergency Room and Medical/Surgical RNs on the evening and night shifts. They rarely cancel but you must attend an 8 hour orientation prior to working. Orientations are being offered on the following dates: September 19, October 17, November 14, and December 12. Call us to schedule your orientation.

Northwestern Memorial Hospital has been ordering ER, ICU, Tele, M/S, L&D, and NICU RNs. The required orientation can be done in our office or two computer disks can be **mailed to you**. The orientation includes information about their PowerCharting system and NMH policies and procedures. The entire orientation is computerized and takes about 4 hours to complete.

West Suburban Hospital is in need of ER, ICU, Telemetry and M/S RNs. They order 12 hours shifts in ICU and Tele. Please note that they have a mandatory float between their ICU and Tele Units. Tele RNs working on the ICU unit will be given appropriate patients.

Call our office and we will send you the information sheets. **Remember—the more hospital choices you have, the easier it is to get the work you want!!**

BONUS PAY RATES

Weekday

| | Day | Evening | Night |
|--------------|------------|----------------|--------------|
| RN-Specialty | \$47.00 | \$49.00 | \$51.00 |
| RN- Med/Surg | \$42.00 | \$44.00 | \$46.00 |

Weekend

| | Day | Evening | Night |
|--------------|------------|----------------|--------------|
| RN-Specialty | \$51.00 | \$52.00 | \$54.00 |
| RN-Med/Surg | \$45.00 | \$46.00 | \$47.00 |

**Please note that these bill rates will also apply at Ingalls Memorial Hospital so their rates are increasing by \$4.00 per hour!*

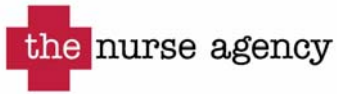
*** KEEP IN MIND:**

- Our annual “**The Nurse Agency Evaluations**” will be sent out soon. These evaluations are completely anonymous and help us gauge how we are performing and where we need to improve. We appreciate your feedback and will let you know the results!
- We now have a “**Compliance Reporting Form**” on our website www.thenurseagency.com. All employees are encouraged to report any perceived breach of ethics or conflict of interest committed by any employee of The Nurse Agency. You may do so anonymously by using the form on our website. The resulting email is sent to Penny, is completely confidential, and every situation will be investigated.



REFERRAL BONUS PROGRAM: Receive a \$250.00 Bonus after your referral works 80 Hours in the three months after they activate!





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EXCEPTIONAL PAYRATES

Specialty RNs up to **\$54.00***

M/S RNs up to **\$47.00***

* At select hospital clients—Call us for details!

Please return as soon as possible any QC's that are due to expire. The required forms are mailed to you 45 days before they expire, are available for downloading from our website, or can be mailed out from our office upon request! You will not be able to work without a complete file!

NEWS AND NOTES...

- **Have an Idea, Comment or Question? We Want Your Feedback!** We are always searching for new ways to improve the service we provide our nurses and our hospital clients. Please don't hesitate to call us with any feedback you may have—we are always interested in what you have to say. We won't know if you are satisfied with the service we provide you unless you tell us! Comments or questions can also be sent to us via our website www.thenurseagency.com. Simply go to the [Contact Us](#) page and send us an email. You may remain anonymous if you wish—simply type in “none” where the form asks for your name and email address. We look forward to hearing from you!
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