



## ADVOCATE CONTRACT SIGNED: Eight New Hospitals Facilities!

### RNs Needed: \$500 Referral Bonus

Starting March 16 we will be servicing all **Advocate Hospitals** (see below for list of hospitals). We will need more nurses to staff these facilities along with all of the **Resurrection Hospitals** (see below for list of hospitals) we recently added to our client list. We always receive our best RN referrals from our current employees so we are asking for your help in referring new RNs to The Nurse Agency.



Starting immediately through June 30, 2007 we are offering a **\$500.00** referral bonus to both you and your referrals if they work 80 hours in the first three months of employment with The Nurse Agency (this is approximately one shift per week) at any of the **Advocate** or **Resurrection Hospitals**. We will also offer the **\$500.00 referral bonus** for your referrals who staff **Northwestern Memorial Hospital** and **John Stroger Hospital** who we anticipate will be very busy in the Spring and Summer.

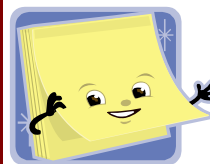
We will also be offering a **\$2.00 pay rate bonus** for all **Advocate** and **Resurrection Hospitals** from February 26, 2007 through June 30, 2007. In addition, the **\$5.00 per hour Premium Pay Rate Bonus** will be extended at **Northwestern Memorial Hospital** through **June 30, 2007**. Please call us if you are interested in staffing at these facilities and we will send you data sheets.

#### Advocate Hospital Facilities:

Advocate Bethany Hospital, Chicago  
Christ Medical Center, Oak Lawn  
Good Samaritan Hospital, Downers Grove  
Good Shepherd Hospital, Barrington  
Illinois Masonic Medical Center, Chicago  
Lutheran General Hospital, Park Ridge  
South Suburban Hospital, Hazel Crest  
Trinity Hospital, Chicago

#### Resurrection Hospital Facilities:

Holy Family Medical Center, Des Plaines  
Our Lady of the Resurrection Medical Center, Chicago  
Resurrection Medical Center, Chicago  
Saint Francis Hospital, Evanston  
Saint Joseph Hospital, Chicago  
Saints Mary and Elizabeth Medical Centers, Chicago  
West Suburban Medical Center, Oak Park  
Westlake Hospital, Melrose Park



#### 401(k) Reminder!

We now match your 401(k) Contributions - this is **FREE MONEY!**

Start saving for retirement and decrease your tax burden at the same time. Call us for more information or for an enrollment packet and list of investment options.

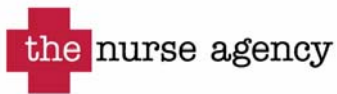
#### Annual QC's Made Easy!

We have made it very easy for you to get your annual credentials to us. The Age Appropriate and OSHA Exams are now available to be completed on line and emailed to us. Simply go to [www.thenurseagency.com](http://www.thenurseagency.com) and click on the "Annual Competencies" link. You will find on that page a link to the Age Appropriate Test E-Form and the OSHA test E-Form. Open the form, select the correct answers using your mouse and then click on the "Submit by Email" button. You must have the latest version of Adobe Acrobat (which is free) in order to use these forms. Call us if you have any questions. The Skills Checklists will be available as E-forms in the next few months.

### RN of the First Quarter 2007!



**Michael Saint George, RN** has been selected as the RN of the Quarter for the First Quarter of 2007! Michael is very flexible and is always willing to try a new facility—even on very short notice (which ensures he rarely gets canceled). In addition to these traits, Michael is also an excellent clinician and very professional. He rarely cancels and is a pleasure for us to work with. Michael will receive a **\$100.00 Lettuce Entertain You Gift Certificate** and a **Certificate of Appreciation**. Thank you, **Michael**, for your hard work—we appreciate all that you do!



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### **Looking For Continuing Education Units?**

Check out [www.thenurseagency.com](http://www.thenurseagency.com)! We now have a continuing education page that links you to various online resources offering CEU's for RNs. Some even offer free CEU's! Let us know if you know of a good online resource for RNs and we'll link to them on our website.

**Please note: We send Evaluation Forms out on a monthly basis. If you recently received an *Evaluation Form* in the mail please make sure you take the form with you to your *next shift* and have a *Charge RN* or *Unit Manager* complete it. We are required to evaluate all RNs at least annually.** *Do not use this evaluation form at Northwestern Memorial Hospital or John Stroger Hospital of Cook County as they have their own evaluation procedure for Agency RNs.*

### **NEWS AND NOTES...**

- Quality Control notices are sent weekly to RNs who have credentials that will expire within 45 days. Please return the requested items as soon as possible. You will not be able to work if your file is not kept up to date. All QC's are available on our website, [www.thenurseagency.com](http://www.thenurseagency.com), for downloading or give us a call and we will mail them to you.
- **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 won't know if you are satisfied with the service we provide unless you tell us! Comments or questions can also be sent to us via our website [www.thenurseagency.com](http://www.thenurseagency.com). Simply go to the [Contact Us](#) page and send us an email.