

# Surgical Technologist Assistant – Job Description

## Job Summary

Foothills Surgery Center is seeking a qualified Surgical Technologist to provide assistance to the surgeon while maintaining the sterile field during surgical procedures. The Surgical Technologist plans, prepares and assembles the proper sterile supplies and instruments for planned procedures.

- Full time
- FLSA non-exempt
- Reports to Clinical Director

## **Requirements/Preferences**

- Must be a graduate of an accredited school of surgical technology
- Possesses certification by CSIT
- One year of operating room scrub experience is required
- Must be CPR certified within six (6) months of hire date and maintain certification
- Possesses ability to work collaboratively with all members of the health care team to provide safe care to the patient throughout the surgical experience
- Demonstrates ability to plan, prepare and assemble the proper sterile supplies and instruments for planned procedures
- Possesses skills and knowledge in the proper handling of sterile surgical instruments and supplies while securing a sterile field
- Possesses skills and knowledge in the proper handling of contaminated articles used during surgery to mitigate occupational exposure to self and others
- Knowledge of surgical instrumentation names, uses and applications.
- Prepares operating / procedure rooms with specific equipment, sterile instruments and supplies based on physician preferences and experience to optimize work flow, efficiencies and cost containment strategies.
- Understands and anticipates expected procedure course of events and prepare for and respond with expediency.
- Protects patient privacy during direct patient contact and follow HIPAA standards for the privacy and security of PHI and ePHI.

If you are interested in applying, please e-mail completed <u>application</u> (cover letter and/or resume optional) to:

### **Attn: Heather Simeoni**

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Instructions for submitting can be found at the bottom of the application or at our website.