
**SCRIPPS CLINIC MEDICAL GROUP
JOB DESCRIPTION****NURSE PRACTITIONER/PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT - GASTROENTEROLOGY****Position Summary:**

The Gastroenterology Nurse Practitioner/Physician Assistant works collaboratively with the Scripps Clinic Gastroenterologists in the care and management of patients in the hospital, GI labs and the outpatient clinic.

Specific Duties:

- Obtains health histories and performs examinations
- Formulates treatment plans and follow-up
- Reviews and interprets diagnostic tests
- Initiates medical orders, consulting with physician as necessary
- Writes prescriptions as needed in accordance with scope of his/her practice
- Coordinates the activities of patient care and support staff within the gastroenterology clinic
- Monitors patients and provides continuity of care between visits
- Instructs patients regarding medications and treatment
- Provides patient education
- Provides oral and written communication with referring physicians and pharmacists
- Maintains skills on current trends in equipment, materials and treatments
- Attends conferences and meetings as required.
- Participates in professional development activities and maintains professional affiliations

Position Requirements:

- Current California nurse practitioner/physician assistant license
- DEA furnishing certificate

Compensation: \$150,000 - \$215,000