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## Medical Director

### Chicago Metro Area

Our client, UNITE HERE HEALTH (the “Fund”) seeks an experienced Medical Director who will focus on the Fund’s plan units in Chicago, New York, Boston, California, and the Fund’s multi-state plans. The Medical Director will provide clinical input and strategic guidance with regard to plan design; appeals (medical necessity reviews and determinations); claims policy, medical policy, monitoring and evaluating outside vendors; as well as developing, and implementing potential healthcare delivery innovations, including the Fund’s PBM Hospitality Rx, LLC and health centers or clinics in locations convenient to members. The Medical Director will also oversee the Chief Pharmacy Officer and other pharmacy and nursing clinical staff.

## UNITE HERE HEALTH

UNITE HERE HEALTH is a multi-employer Taft-Hartley Trust Fund governed by a Board of Trustees composed of union and employer representatives. Their mission is to provide health benefits that offer high quality, affordable healthcare to their participants at better value with better service than is otherwise available in the market. They believe their success depends on innovation and on engaging their participants. For several decades, UNITE HERE HEALTH has served UNITE HERE! union workers in the hospitality, food service, and gaming industries. Their benefits and innovative programs are designed to meet the triple aim of better care, better health, and lower costs while empowering their participants to better manage their health and healthcare.



## Medical Director Qualifications



### **Knowledge/Experience:**

- Medical degree with a board certification in a specialty
- Unencumbered and unrestricted medical license
- 10+ years medical/clinical practice experience and 3+ years in a senior leadership position, managing healthcare delivery systems
- Ability and knowledge to expand/build effective healthcare delivery systems to meet the Fund's needs
- In-depth understanding of utilization review, disease management, clinical guideline development, provider contracting, physician profiling, pharmacy and therapeutic programs, outcomes measurement, and performance improvement
- Ability to stay abreast of relevant trends including alternative payment methods and shared risk arrangements
- Familiarity with Taft-Hartley Fund and managed-care environments



### **Essential Job Functions:**

- Partner with other departments (e.g., Healthcare Delivery, PBM Hospitality Rx, LLC) and the Fund's CEO to ensure that medical management, clinical innovation testing, and rapid adoption of successful innovations are appropriately supported by Fund operations and plan administration
- Play a direct, hands-on role in developing and implementing healthcare delivery innovations
- Provide leadership and guidance to clinical staff including the Chief Pharmacy Officer who is responsible for Hospitality RX, the Fund's "private label" PBM, and the pharmacy programs that support it
- Be directly involved in the Fund's administrative operations such as claims with regard to medical policy and appeals
- Directly observe and/or participate in care provided to participants, so that recommended innovations are tailored to a nuanced understanding of the Fund's population
- Report to the Trustees routinely on medical management activity, the clinical innovation pipeline, and their planned and actual contribution to quantified progress on quality gain and spending trend reduction
- Foster and maintain relevant professional and external relationships



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## Community



Only 37 miles west of Chicago, the Naperville/Aurora Area stretches out to parts of Kane, Kendall, Will and DuPage counties. The Naperville/Aurora Area boasts many cities and towns unique in their own charms, yet unified and nestled between the Des Plaines River and the flowing Fox River that rolls throughout our valley. There are many nearby historical and new communities within easy commuting distance as potential places to call home.

This suburban living still offers savory dining, unique architecture, the coolest attractions, extreme shopping, a great variety of family fun and waterparks, and hundreds of other options for singles, couples and families alike.



The Naperville/Aurora is one of the largest in Illinois and its surrounding areas have you covered when it comes to entertainment! The area has diverse arts and festivals, a renowned theatre scene, and a wide variety of seasonal indoor, outdoor, and family activities throughout the year. The area also has many premier shopping venues, the best in designer and name-brand outlets, retail corridors, unique museum shops, fresh farmers markets, specialty stores, flea markets and a host of quaint boutiques, mom-and-pop shops and antique markets dotting the picturesque Fox River Valley.



Golf is a longstanding pastime in the state of Illinois. The natural landscape of Illinois golf is both beautiful and challenging boasting natural elements such as wetlands, lakes, roughs, water hazards and more. From championship layouts to executive courses, all levels of play are available. The Naperville/Aurora Area golf courses, clubs and resorts are a testament to that featuring both private and public courses.

Bike, hike, ski, snowshoe and marvel at the best trails in the Midwest that intersect here. Paddle into the scenic Fox River via kayak or canoe. Boat, fish or hunt at state wildlife areas. Wade in a natural quarry and sun on the sandy beach. Be amazed by swooping bald eagles and snowy egrets and other wildlife. If you are a cycling enthusiast, there are many cycling clubs that would welcome newcomers to ride the miles of trails and roadways with them on any given weekend.



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When flying for business or pleasure, the Naperville/Aurora Area is conveniently located between both O'Hare and Midway airports, just an hour journey from either. Taking the train? Both Amtrak and Metra commuter train lines are conveniently located here. Located conveniently off Interstate 88 – a major east-west freeway – the Naperville/Aurora Area is easily accessible by car but also offer many options for public transportation, including to and from downtown Chicago. It is only a 15-minute walk from the Aurora train station to the office.