

**SOUTH TEXAS RURAL HEALTH SERVICES, INC.  
JOB DESCRIPTION**

**JOB TITLE:** Dentist  
**SALARY:**  
**FLSA Status:** Exempt  
**JOB CONTROL:** Responsible to the Chief Executive Officer  
**JOB SUMMARY:** Responsible for the conduct of all dental activities at the project site; for assuming adequacy of dental care systems, providing and adequate preventative component, quality assurance component, pharmacy and dental therapeutics and dental staff training.

**DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

1. Shall maintain overall responsibility of the dental component
2. Shall assist the Chief Executive Officer in the hiring, promoting, transferring, demoting or dismissal of the dental staff
3. Shall monitor and report the progress of the dental component
4. Shall monitor and evaluate the dental staff, and recommend appropriate changes to the Chief Executive Officer.
5. Shall diagnose and treat cases coming to the clinic and will make arrangements with local dentists and specialists for the treatment and care of those patients requiring more comprehensive care than is available at the clinic.
6. Shall develop clinical protocols for patient care
7. Shall check periodically the patient's charts
8. Shall perform such procedures and reports that are needed by the Project Director.

**QUALIFICATIONS:**

1. A current unrestricted license to practice dentistry in the State of Texas or unrestricted Dental License in the United States, who is actively pursuing licensure in Texas
2. Ability to organize and deliver dental health care through professional and non-professional staff
3. An understanding of the socioeconomic problems of low-income groups.
4. Ability to establish effective relationships with local health professions and facilities
5. Any other duties deemed necessary by the immediate Supervisor and /or CEO
6. Must be able to travel and have reliable transportation.

Employee Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_