



COLLEGE OF  
LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES  
OF NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR  
LPNS - A PRACTICAL APPROACH TO QUALITY CARE

### **Liaison LPN Role Description**

The Liaison uses a variety of approaches to provide information about the CLPNNL to Licensed Practical Nurses in the agency including:

- Post or distribute CLPNNL written materials such as memos, newsletters, programs, information pamphlets, position statements, educational opportunities, events and promotional items
- Meet new LPNs during their orientation to the agency to inform them about your role as a Liaison
- Present updates of CLPNNL activities to other nursing staff at in-service programs, staff meetings and during informal encounters
- Communicate with the CLPNNL concerns relevant to the College's mandate
- Attend and participate in teleconference information sessions
- Support Licensed Practical Nurse colleagues in their professional practice by ensuring that they are aware of the CLPNNL services which can be of assistance to them and referring members to appropriate resources such as agency administration, professional practice coordinators or CLPNNL staff
- Communicate information directed to the Liaison from the Licensed Practical Nurse to the CLPNNL as necessary. (ie; concerns, needs and professional nursing issues)
- Communicate significant developments (problems and/or achievements) as appropriate to agency managers
- Help members appreciate that they are part of the CLPNNL and as such can influence the direction of their professional practice
- Help members understand the benefits of the CLPNNL involvement and how to get involved
- Assist CLPNNL to organize/implement special events in the agency which promote the practical nursing profession