

Type of Opportunity: Nutrition

City: Bethesda

State: MD

Details: P/T Retail Nutrition Advisor for Integrative Pharmacy (Bethesda)

Do you have experience in nutrition and nutritional supplements? Are you looking for something that's new and different, and extremely rewarding? Are you interested in working in a store that cares about people's health and offers an array of alternatives to promote healthy living?

Village Green Apothecary is looking for a bright, friendly, energetic person to work part-time with customers in our busy integrative pharmacy (ability to work Saturdays is a plus). Our store sells top quality nutritional supplements, herbs and homeopathic remedies, as well as a great selection of clean personal care products and health-related books.

The position includes answering questions about nutrition and supplements from customers in-store and on the phone, helping them choose appropriate products, and other retail-related tasks. To fit this job, you should be a true "people person," someone with a genuine love of people, who is also flexible, enthusiastic, reliable, and able to handle hectic moments with patience and good cheer. In return, you'll get friendly co-workers, generous employee discounts, and a great learning environment.

Here's what you need to have:

- Customer service in your DNA -- you love helping and supporting people
- Passion for nutrition and healthy living
- Familiarity with national vitamin and supplement brands and herbs
- Knowledge of homeopathy is a plus
- Strong verbal communication skills, with a strong command of English
- Great telephone skills, experience communicating with customers on the phone
- Team player experience, with a positive, can-do attitude
- Computer and database entry skills
- Retail experience helpful.

About us: Village Green Apothecary has been giving customers individualized nutrition, pharmacy, and healthy living products and resources for over 50 years. We are committed to providing expert guidance, knowledge, and a custom-tailored mix of nutritional and pharmaceutical products needed to achieve and maintain optimal health - at every stage of life. With a staff of 50 - including pharmacists, naturopathic doctors, nutritionists, and clinical herbalists - we offer private wellness consultations, personalized health plans, and individualized custom compounding. In addition, our pharmacists review and address drug/nutrient interactions and depletions to ensure our customers' health and well-being. We carry an extensive selection of over 10,000 nutritional supplements, including practitioner lines and our exclusive Pathway nutritional products. We also have homeopathic remedies, natural beauty care products, and books, in addition to everyday over-the-counter pharmacy items.

If you're a one-of-a-kind person who has the qualities and skills we're looking for, and you're interested in joining our team, please email your resume with a cover to margaret@myvillagreen.com. In your cover letter, please include answers to the following questions:

1. What are one or two examples of excellent customer service that you have given in your previous work?
2. Why do you think you are a good fit to work with Village Green?

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