

## **HUB-Clinical Therapist/Crisis Specialist**

### **JOB DESCRIPTION:**

- Responsible for crisis intervention and mental health screening operations to assess mental health needs, ensure the psychological well-being of patients, and provide appropriate recommendations.

### **ESSENTIAL DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Ability to work collaboratively with members of inter-disciplinary teams; and ability to provide ongoing clinical consultation to medical staff;
- Demonstrated awareness of, sensitivity to and competence in dealing with cultural and socioeconomic diversity of client population;
- Conduct mental health screenings/crisis intervention, integrating forensic interviewing techniques and formulating recommendations
- Educate patient and family regarding the diagnosis, mental health needs, and provide appropriate mental health referrals;
- Develop relationships and ongoing communication with DCFS workers and other staff.
- Participate in training on intervention techniques;
- Complete all required documentation in accordance with regulations (e.g. DMH); and
- Maintain all appropriate records including crisis intervention files and/or incident reports, clinical notes and other records as required.

### **OTHER FUNCTIONS:**

- Follow agency policies and procedures;
- Participate in VIP in-service training programs; and
- Perform other duties as assigned.

### **POSITION REQUIREMENTS:**

- Ph.D/Psy.D/MSW/MFT degree and two (2) years documented experience in a mental health setting;
- Bilingual Spanish Speaking
- Self-starter, independent therapist with the ability to adapt to change in a fast working environment;
- Good written and verbal communication skills;
- The ability to relate effectively and professionally with children, supervisor, co-workers and staff;
- Must meet eligibility requirements to bill for DMH services.

### **SCHEDULE:**

- Full-time shift- Monday-Friday 2:30pm -11:00pm

**How to apply:** Submit your resume to our Director of Human Resources, Toni Harrison to email:

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