

POSITION TITLE: Lead Clinician

FUNCTION: The Lead Clinician provides professional counseling to individuals, couples, families, and groups. S/he is also responsible for clinical supervision of CJFS Counseling Team, including but not limited to case consultation, service documentation, and compliance with program policy and procedures.

REPORTS TO: Interim Senior Director of CJFS Programs

JOB CLASSIFICATION: Full-Time, Exempt

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Licensed Independent Clinical Social Worker (LICSW) or comparable licensure in a related field
- Minimum of four years post graduate work experience.
- Experience and credentials to supervise clinical professionals toward licensing hours preferred (ABSWE S-designation).
- Ability to exercise strong clinical judgement and work independently with minimal supervision.
- Working knowledge, experience, and skills in providing psychotherapy and group facilitation.
- Able to work with a diverse caseload across ages, presenting problems, and diagnoses.
- Experience with older adults preferred.
- Strong interpersonal communication and organizational skills.
- Demonstrated ability to maintain good working relationships with professional and community contacts.
- Must have valid Driver's License and proof of insurance.
- Knowledge of Jewish culture and tradition a plus.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS/MAJOR RESPONSIBILITIES:

- 1. Provide professional counseling services to a diverse caseload including initial assessments, treatment plans, therapeutic goal setting, and outcomes measures.
- 2. Supervise CJFS staff providing counseling services.
- 3. Conduct monthly meetings of the Counseling team for case consultation and other relevant issues.
- 4. Responsible for intake and case assignment for Counseling department.
- 5. Work collaboratively with supervisor on administration of the Counseling program.
- 6. Establish therapeutic relationships with clients that promote and support the client(s)' mental health.
- 7. Communicate and work collaboratively with families of clients and community resources as appropriate.
- 8. Collaborate with CJFS staff regarding non-clinical aspects of client care plans as appropriate to ensure maximum quality of care and appropriate use of professional skill levels.
- 9. Provide school social work services at the N.E. Miles Jewish Day School including socio-emotional learning in the classroom and individually with teachers, administration, parents and students as needed.
- 10. Plan and implement group therapeutic, support, and psycho-educational programs as assigned.
- 11. Maintain a working knowledge of therapeutic best practices and techniques.
- 12. Research and become fully knowledgeable about community resources related to client requests and needs.
- 13. Maintain accurate and current clinical records.
- 14. Complete all statistical reports promptly as required by the Business Office and funding sources.
- 15. Work with communications & marketing staff to write blogs and provide stories based on professional expertise and case experiences.
- 16. Work with volunteers and student interns as needed.
- 17. Work with marketing team to promote CJFS services and develop new services in response to community needs.
- 18. Perform additional duties as requested by Supervisor or Executive Director.