



Burke Job Posting / Job Description

Position Title

Mental Health Clinician – D.J. – Polk Mental Health Clinic - Livingston, Texas

“PENDING BOARD APPROVAL”

Position Number

P #1680

General Description

The Mental Health Clinician works closely with other team members to provide immediate and intensive response to persons in crisis and to persons needing urgent care that are at high risk of becoming emergent and potentially needing inpatient care. This person will provide specialized services to children, adolescents, adults and their families that reside in Polk, San Jacinto, and Tyler counties. This worker will perform case management, skills training, and other specialized services based on the client’s needs and their prescribed treatment plan in accordance with agency and Medicaid standards and requirements. This position provides specialized services to the clients. Duties also include conducting emergency assessments as warranted and intake assessments. Proficient and timely documentation, self-discipline, flexibility, and organizational skills are a must. Traveling within the three-county region is required.

Education

Required: Bachelor’s degree in Social Work, Psychology, Rehabilitation or other Human Services discipline that meets QMHP requirements, from an accredited college or university.

Experience

Preferred: Six (6) months’ direct care experience working with adults and/or children and adolescents in a behavioral healthcare or educational setting. Familiarity with DSM-IV diagnostic criteria

Licenses/Certifications

Required – Valid Texas driver’s license

Physical Requirements

Sight, hearing, talking, lifting up to 50 pounds, prolonged standing, walking, driving a vehicle, and hand/finger dexterity.

Special Requests or Comments

Must be physically able to complete Satori Alternative to Managing Aggressive Behavior (SAMA), CPR, First Aid, and Defensive Driving training modules. Must have a driving record

insurable by Burke's insurance administrator. Must have reliable personal vehicle and travel routinely with the service area.

Hours

Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., May require occasional after-hours work to complete job responsibilities.

Salary

\$33,978-\$35,214 annually, depending on qualifications and experience.

Notice to All Prospective Burke Applicants

Burke does not discriminate on the basis of race; color; gender; sexual orientation; national origin; religion; age; mental, physical, or sensory disability, unless these are bonafide occupational requirements for a position.

Applications are now being accepted for the vacancies listed and will be accepted until these open positions are filled. Qualified applicants will be considered on a first-come, first-serve basis. All applicants for employment will be required to produce as a part of the application process, proof of employment authorization and positive proof of identification.

Acceptable proof of employment authorization includes:

- 1) United States Passport (with photograph)
- 2) Certificate of Naturalization
- 3) U.S. Birth Certificate
- 4) Resident Alien Card
- 5) Social Security Card
- 6) Driver's license with photograph
- 7) Other identification document with a photograph

Only applications submitted with a specific numbered position listed will be considered.

Physical requirements listed in positions will be discussed in detailed at time of interview.

Criminal convictions that would have relevance to the job being applied for may make you ineligible for employment in that position. The names of all prospective employees are cleared through the Texas Department of Public Safety to determine the existence of such records. Applicants for positions requiring driving must have driving records insurable by our insurance carrier. Driving records will also be checked through the Texas Department of Public Safety.