



Therapist, Counseling Services Job Description

Family Service of Lake County is seeking a licensed clinical therapist who is enthusiastic and creative to provide direct clinical services to individuals, couples and families, allowing an opportunity to truly make a positive difference in the lives of clients. We are in search of a dedicated and imaginative clinician to be a part of a collaborative team that provides the highest quality treatment to area residents.

Family Service of Lake County has provided social services in Lake County communities since 1930. Our mission is to strengthen families through counseling, education and related support services, and help individuals succeed in school, at work, in relationships and within our community.

LOCATION: Highland Park, Illinois

SUPERVISOR: Director of Counseling

WORK SCHEDULE: Full-time; includes early evening office hours 1-2 days per week, depending on need; no weekend hours required

JOB RESPONSIBILITIES:

Clinical (75%)

- Provide direct clinical services to clients, youth to seniors, in office, and as-needed, in-home for seniors.
- Conduct diagnostic assessments and develop treatment plans collaboratively with clients
- Facilitates collaboration with other services providers (psychiatrists, physicians, schools) to benefit clients and ensure comprehensive treatment
- Complete client outcome measures necessary for grant funding and evaluating client services
- Document clinical services daily with an electronic health record (EHR)
- Maintain direct client service expectation of 60%

Community Outreach (15%)

- Develop and facilitate psycho-educational community presentations as appropriate
- Maintain regular relational contacts with specified community partners
- Represent agency by attending community meetings as needed

Other (10%)

- Attend staff meetings, in addition to other agency meetings and required trainings
- Support the Mission of Family Service of Lake County
- Other duties as assigned

REQUIREMENTS AND QUALIFICATIONS:

- Master's degree in Social Work
- LSW or LCSW required
- Minimum of two year's clinical experience in an outpatient setting
- Valid driver's license and be willing to travel locally to provide in-home/offsite clinical services to senior clients, as needed
- Proficiency with computer applications, including Microsoft Office Suite
- Complete all required DCFS checks and authorizations
- Bilingual in Spanish a plus

COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS:

- Compensation range: \$43-55K, based on experience and credentials
- Benefits include health insurance, 401K with match after one year, Flexible Spending Account, conference time allowance, and more
- LCSW supervision provided
- Travel reimbursed at federal mileage rate

TO APPLY:

Please submit a cover letter and resume to Debbie Hege, Director of Counseling, at HR@famservice.org. No phone calls please.