

PART TIME - OPEN POSITIONS AT ECKER CENTER as of October 30, 2024

Ecker Center for Behavioral health is committed to creating a diverse and inclusive environment and is proud to be an equal opportunity employer

Community Behavioral Health Nurse, Nursing

Responsibilities:

- Administer injections to clients as prescribed by Ecker Center prescriber.
- Administer TB tests to Ecker Center employees.
- Complete patient vitals.
- Provide nursing sessions with clients in the Crisis Residential program. These duties include reviewing medications, recent labs, and completing an initial medical screening.
- Monitor client's medication through Illinois Prescription Monitoring system and Clozapine REMS systems.
- Assist providers in requesting and reviewing all orders. Ensure critical lab results are reported to providers immediately.
- Responds to client inquiries and call backs in-between prescriber appointments.
- Complete prior authorizations when necessary to assist clients with medication approval.
- Assist clients with the completion of medication reconciliation and medical forms when necessary.

Qualifications:

- Current LPN license required
- One year experience in psychiatric and substance needs preferred
- IM, Sub-Q and TB injection experience required

Hours: Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday 9am – 3:30pm, 18 hours per week

Mobile Crisis Counselor, MCR

Responsibilities:

- Provide triage, assessment, crisis de-escalation/resolution, coordination with local hospitals, police, fire, medical, and behavioral health services, crisis planning, and follow-up
- Manage walk-in, telephone, and community-based crises
- Deliver services primarily in the community where the client is located, including shelters and client homes
- Provide referral and disposition options appropriate to the client's needs and safety including warm hand-offs to referral sources. Schedule outpatient follow-ups.
- Respond to Call4Calm requests and regional crisis call hubs such 988
- Evaluate unfunded individuals and apply for Medicaid. Coordinate with the CARES line for individuals funded with Medicaid
- Serves as QMHP for MHP and CRSS level staff providing Crisis Intervention on the Mobile Crisis Team

Qualifications:

- Master's degree in human service field with experience providing crisis intervention
- Experience working with adults and children with mental health and/or substance use needs
- Bilingual Spanish preferred
- Must be able to work independently and be willing to travel in the community (Kane County and nearby Cook)
- Willing to transport clients when appropriate, current driver's license, automobile, and auto insurance required

Hours: Saturday, 8:00 pm – 8:30 am, 11.5 hours per week

Weekend Mental Health Professional MHP or Rehabilitative Services Associate RSA, Supervised Residential Program

Responsibilities:

- Provide rehabilitation services, contribute to and develop treatment plans and manage crisis for all residential clients
- Provide medication monitoring and community support
- Handle referrals and discharges for residential services
- Assist clients in obtaining/maintaining entitlements
- Contribute to and develop treatment plans and manage crisis for all residential clients

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's Degree in Human Service Field or five years' experience in Mental Health field; we will also consider hiring an entry level RSA which requires a minimum age of 21, high school diploma, and skills in the field of services to adults
- Must have good computer skills
- Willingness to work regularly scheduled hours, holidays and overtime in emergency situations
- Must have the ability to work cooperatively with mentally ill adults, and to administer CPR
- Must have valid Illinois driver's license, auto insurance and automobile

Hours: Sunday, 7:30am -3:30pm, 8 work hours **every other week** (Supervised Residential Program)