

FAMILY SERVICE

JOB POSTING FORM

DATE: July 20, 2010

PROGRAM: Family Learning Center, Yates Center for Children and Families

JOB TITLE: Case Manager/Direct Care Professional - Full Time Position

PRIMARY FUNDING SOURCE & TITLE: DMH / Medicaid

POPULATION SERVED: Adults, Children and Youth

QUALIFICATIONS: Bachelor's degree required (Master's preferred) in social work, psychology or related field from an accredited institution, and 1 year's experience in the provision of children's mental health services.

COMPENTENCIES: Demonstrates respect for children/adolescents and their families.
Demonstrates understanding of emotional disturbance.
Demonstrates knowledge about the differential characteristics of serious emotional disturbance.
Demonstrates knowledge about the role of psychiatry and medication in treating disorders.
Demonstrates understanding of the effects of stressful life events including abuse and/or trauma.
Involves youth and family in all aspects of treatment planning.
Demonstrates ability to teach both simple and complex skills.
Demonstrates knowledge of a range of strategies applicable to population.
Ability to identify family support resources and provide advocacy for their use.
Demonstrates understanding of the principles of collaborative community-based care.
Communicates understanding of unique issues impacting families.
Ability to provide support while setting clear limits.

RESPONSIBILITIES: Under the supervision of the Program Supervisor, the Residential Counselor is responsible for shift coverage and clinical intervention, including but not limited to:

- Provide individual and group counseling and support
- Provide activities to address daily living skills
- Provide recreational and socialization activities
- Provide services to families such as referral, advocacy and service linkages.
- Participate in the development, review and updating of individual treatment plans and comprehensive assessments
- Participate in the development of discharge plans and making needed referrals
- Assist youth directly to address self care needs
- Participate in case conferences
- Provide support to auxiliary staff, student interns and volunteers
- Assist in the development of staff orientation programs
- Maintain clinical documentation
- Perform related studies as needed and appropriate to the provision of partial care services

PERSON TO CONTACT: Susan DePonte, Assistant Supervisor or Anne Greenwood, Director
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OFF SITE FACILITY LOCATION: *Lumberton, NJ*

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