

**DEPARTMENT of Children and Families
JOB OPPORTUNITY**

Lead Dentist

Connecticut Juvenile Training School/Solnit North and South Campus

PLEASE FOLLOW THE SPECIFIC APPLICATION FILING INSTRUCTIONS AT THE BOTTOM OF THIS PAGE!

Open To: The Public

Location: 1225 Silver Street, Middletown, CT 06457

Job Posting No: LR043621PT

Hours: M-T 8-3:30 F 8-2:30

Salary: \$59.95 - \$74.47 Hourly

Closing Date: 9/10/14

Eligibility Requirement: Applicants should be knowledgeable in principles and practices of dental operative techniques and minor dental surgery; must possess interpersonal skills needed to manage young adolescents and young adults with conduct disordered behaviors and/or psychiatric disorders; a candidate with computer skills is preferred to maintain dental records and dental scheduling. The dentist is responsible for providing preventive dental maintenance and acute dental care including oral examinations and diagnoses, operative and prosthetic dentistry, exodontia, periodontia, radiology and prophylaxis; administering medication; responding to dental emergencies; educating clients and staff on importance of good oral health; and supervision of dental staff. Incumbents in this class must possess and maintain a license as a dentist issued by the Connecticut State Department of Health Services in accordance with the applicable Connecticut General Statutes.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities: Considerable knowledge of principles and practices of dental surgery with particular reference to oral pathology; interpersonal skills; oral and written communication skills; skill in dental operative techniques; supervisory ability.

General Experience: Two (2) years of experience as a dentist.

Special Requirement: Incumbents in this class must possess and retain a license to practice dentistry in Connecticut.

Working Conditions: Incumbents in this class may be required to lift and restrain clients and may be exposed to disagreeable conditions, communicable and/or infectious diseases and risk of injury from assaultive and/or abusive clients.

Note: The filling of this position will be in accordance with reemployment, SEBAC, transfer, promotion and merit employment rules, if applicable.

Application Instructions: Interested and qualified candidates who meet the above requirements should submit a cover letter, a resume, an Application for Employment 9CT-HR-12) and (3) letters of professional reference. Current state employees must submit their two most recent performance appraisals in lieu of references, to:

**Department of Children and Families
ATTN: Lena Romanelli
1225 Silver Street
Middletown, CT 06457**

Please mail all application materials to the address indicated.

AN AFFIRMATIVE ACTION/EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

The State of Connecticut is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer and strongly encourages the applications of women, minorities, and persons with disabilities.