

**DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES
JOB OPPORTUNITY
Clinical Social Worker Associate (Substance Abuse Specialist preferred)
Full-time (75 hours bi-weekly)**

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Open To: Public

Location: Albert J. Solnit Children's Center - North Campus in East Windsor, CT

Job Posting No: VB44259N2

Hours: Monday - Friday: 3 days 8:30 am - 4:30 pm and 2 evening shifts 11:00 am - 7:00 pm

Salary: \$69,674.00 - \$93,963.00 yearly

Closing Date: 02/18/2015

Examples of Duties: Include but are not limited to working within a behavioral health program as part of a multi-disciplinary team and is accountable for providing skilled clinical social work services, including substance abuse/co-occurring assessment, intervention and treatment (individual, group and family), and complex case management. Preferred applicants will possess a license to practice alcohol and drug counseling and will possess experience in substance abuse assessment, intervention and treatment.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

Considerable knowledge of and ability to instruct others about theories of human behavior, current diagnostic categories of mental illness, family dynamics, substance abuse and human sexuality; considerable knowledge of social, cultural, economic, political, religious, medical, psychological and legal issues which influence behavior of clients, families, service programs and society at large; knowledge of statutes, regulations and standards relating to mental health services; knowledge of state law governing licensed clinical social worker practice standards; considerable oral and written communication skills; considerable administrative skills; considerable ability to independently apply in practice current psychiatric treatment modalities including but not limited to behavioral, cognitive, object-relations, crisis intervention and psychosocial rehabilitation approaches; ability to integrate theory and case material in assessing and devising comprehensive treatment and/or service plans for difficult and/or complex case assignments; ability to lead task groups including but not limited to treatment teams and agency committees. Experience in the assessment or treatment of problem sexual behavior preferred.

General Experience: One year of experience as a licensed clinical social worker.

Special Requirement: Incumbents in this class must possess and retain a license to practice clinical social work pursuant to Sec. 20-195 (m) through (r) of the Connecticut General Statutes.

Working Conditions: Incumbents in the class may be exposed to some 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 applicants must submit a CT-HR-12 (State application), resume, letter of intent, three (3) letters of supervisory reference, original transcripts and a copy of any license or certification required to the address indicated; state employees must submit their two most recent performance appraisals in lieu of references. Please specify the posting number on all application materials. Incomplete application packets will not be considered. The filling of this position shall be in keeping with established reemployment, transfer, promotion, and SEBAC employment obligations.

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