

State of Connecticut  
**JOB POSTING**

**DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES**  
North Region  
155 Founders Plaza / 255 Pitkin Street  
East Hartford, CT 06108

**PLEASE FOLLOW THE SPECIFIC APPLICATION FILING INSTRUCTIONS BELOW!**

**DATE:** December 22, 2010

**CLOSING DATE:** December 27, 2010

**POSITION:** DS Case Manager  
**POSITION #:** 00019079  
**LOCATION:** IFS – East Hartford  
**SCHEDULE:** Tuesday 8:30a – 5p; Wednesday and Friday 8:30a – 4p; Thursday 8:30a – 3p  
**Pass Days:** Saturday, Sunday, and Monday  
*Consideration will be given to requests for flex time schedules in accordance with the P1 flex time agreement.*

**HOURS PER PAY PERIOD:** Part-Time 56 hours

**ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:** **Candidates must have applied for and passed the Developmental Services Case Manager exam and be on the current certification list promulgated by the Department of Administrative Services. State employees currently holding the above title or those who have previously attained permanent status in the class may apply for lateral transfer.**

**EXAMPLES OF DUTIES**

Provision of case management services in the Individual and Family Support Division to current caseload of approximately 25 individuals residing in the community with families or independent living. Consumers live in diverse geographic locations in towns in Hartford county. Responsibilities include linkages with community services; referrals for day and residential supports, grant and respite requests; assistance with entitlements, school to work transitions, placements. Some budget development. Timely completion of annual plans, case management running notes, maintenance of master files. Compliance with regulations of Targeted Case Management. Crisis intervention, emergency placements, immediate response to directives from Office of Protection and Advocacy. Involvement with Probate Courts, PPT's, legal system. Performs related duties as required. Ability to flex schedule into the evening in response to consumer needs and emergency situations. Valid driver's license.

**EXPERIENCE & TRAINING**

**General Experience:** Six (6) years of experience in working with individuals with developmental disabilities involving participation in an interdisciplinary team process and the development, review and implementation of elements in a client's plan of service.

**Special Experience:** Two (2) years of the General Experience must have involved responsibility for developing, implementing and evaluating individualized programs for individuals with developmental disabilities in the areas of behavior, education or rehabilitation.

**Substitutions Allowed:** College training may be substituted for the General Experience on the basis of fifteen (15) semester hours equaling one-half (1/2) year of experience to a maximum of four (4) years for a Bachelor's degree. A Master's degree in Counseling, Psychology, Special Education or Vocational Rehabilitation may be substituted for one (1) additional year of the General Experience. A Master's degree in Social Work may be substituted for the General and Special experience. Two (2) years as a Social Worker Trainee in the Department of Developmental Services may be substituted for the General and Special Experience. For State employees one (1) year as a Social Worker with some experience working with individuals with developmental disabilities may be substituted for the General and Special Experience. For State employees two (2) years as a Supervising Developmental Services Worker 1, Supervising Developmental Services Worker 2, Developmental Services Supported Living Worker or Developmental Services Adult Services Instructor may be substituted for the Special Experience.

**Special Requirement:** 1. Incumbents in this class may be required to possess fluency in a foreign language for designated positions. 2. Incumbents in this class may be required to travel. 3. When assigned to a caseload of individuals, the majority of who reside in Intermediate Care Facilities must be eligible for certification as a Qualified Mental Retardation Professional as required by Federal regulations.

**NOTE:** Appointment to this position will be made in accordance with applicable collective bargaining, statutory and SEBAC requirements.

**TO APPLY:** Please complete a DDS Transfer/Promotion application (applicable to DDS employees) or a State of CT Application for Examination or Employment CT-HR-12 located at <http://das.ct.gov/employment> (applicable to non-DDS employees), including the Position # and copies of your last two performance appraisals or two letters of reference. All application materials must be received by close of business on the closing date indicated above.

**SEND APPLICATIONS TO:**

**Department of Developmental Services—North Region**  
**155 Founders Plaza / 255 Pitkin Street**  
**East Hartford, CT 06108**  
**Attn: Ms. Carol Pfeifer, Human Resources**  
**Phone: (860) 263-2618**  
**Fax: (860) 263-2626**

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