

DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH & ADDICTION SERVICES

JOB OPPORTUNITY
LEAD DENTIST

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Open To: The Public

Location: Connecticut Valley Hospital ~ Administrative & Support Services – Dental Clinic ~ Middletown, CT

Job Posting No: CV-106007

Hours: 1st Shift ~ 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. ~ 40 hours weekly

Salary Range: \$128,920.00 - \$160,155.00 Annually

Closing Date: November 9, 2015

Duties may include but not limited to: Provides preventative, acute and routine dental care including oral examinations and diagnoses, operative and prosthetic dentistry, exodontia, periodontal, radiology and prophylaxis: may be requested to perform ward examinations outside of scheduled work hours on occasion to best accommodate patient needs. Educates clients and staff on importance of good oral health and dental services offered by the facility; may participate in instruction of students within the dental department. In the absence of the Dental Director: coordinates unit workflow; determines priorities; assigns and reviews work; establishes and maintains unit procedures; provides staff training and assistance; conducts or assists in conducting performance evaluations; acts as liaison to other operating units, agencies and outside officials regarding unit policies and procedures; oversees ordering of supplies and equipment and ensures equipment properly maintained as directed; May be expected to serve on hospital wide committees as assigned. Performs other related duties as required including assisting others within the dental department to ensure that all job related duties are completed in a timely manner.

Eligibility Requirement: State employees currently holding the above title or those who have previously attained permanent status may apply for lateral transfer. All others must possess the Requirements listed below.

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

Special Requirement: 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 have exposure 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.

To be considered for this position:

1. **DMHAS employees who are lateral transfer candidates** (example: Head Nurse applying to a Head Nurse posting) must submit a completed DMHAS Lateral Transfer Form. Lateral Transfer Request Forms received without a position number will not be processed
2. **DMHAS employees who are promotional/demotional candidates** must submit the State of Connecticut Application for Examination and Employment (CT-HR-12). The position number must be noted at the bottom of Page One of the State of Connecticut Application (CT-HR-12).
3. **All other Applicants** must complete a State Employment Application for Examination and Employment (CT-HR-12). Resumes and Curriculum Vitae can be provided as supplemental information but will only be accepted if attached to a fully completed application.

Application Instructions: Interested and qualified candidates who meet the above requirements should submit a cover letter, a resume, and an Application for Employment to:

EMAIL: CVH-RECRUIT@CT.GOV ~ FAX: (860) 262-5055
Connecticut Valley Hospital
Office of Human Resources ~ ATTN: Recruitment
P.O. Box 351 ~ Middletown, CT 06457

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The State of Connecticut is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer and strongly encourages the applications of women, minorities, and persons with disabilities. P-1