

Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services
Southwest Connecticut Mental Health System
JOB OPPORTUNITY
Clinical Social Worker – SW107315
Assertive Community Treatment (ACT)

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

Open To: Public
Location: Southwest Connecticut Mental Health System, 97 Middle Street, Bridgeport, CT 06604
Program/ Unit: Assertive Community Treatment (ACT)
Salary: (FP 25) \$72,950 - \$98,582
Shift/Schedule/Hours: 1st shift, 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, 40 hours per week.
Posting Date: January 8, 2016
Closing Date: January 14, 2016

Duties include but are not limited to: As a member of multi-disciplinary clinical team or within a network of community based behavioral health services develops psychosocial assessments through clinical interviews with assigned clients and families which include consideration of developmental, social and/or cultural, substance abuse, psychological, environmental and medical issues; able to perform the majority of work in community setting as well as adherence to current measures outlined in the ACT fidelity scale; develops treatment plans including measurable treatment objectives; provides clinical treatment services in form of triage, crisis intervention, individual, group and/or family therapy, screening and planning; advocates and develops networks of social and clinical services to assist clients in meeting identified needs; monitors and evaluates effectiveness of treatment plans, documents treatment in clinical records; completes reports in accordance with agency and accrediting bodies; consults and collaborates with other behavioral health providers to improve delivery of services to clients; maintains social work treatment and standards as required; may participate in research projects; performs related duties as required.

General Experience and Training: Licensure as a clinical social worker in the State of Connecticut.

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. Must possess, retain, and carry a valid motor vehicle operator's license. Travel in the community is required.

Note: Applicants will be selected in accordance with reemployment, SEBAC, transfer, promotion, collective bargaining unit contract language, merit employment lists and DMHAS affirmative action goals. Therefore, state employees will generally be considered before applicants from outside state service.

Application Instructions: Due to the large number of lateral transfer forms and applications received, it is extremely important to note the **Position Number (found on the posting)** on the DMHAS Lateral Transfer Request Form (**upper right-hand corner**) and at the bottom of Page One of the State of Connecticut Application for Examination or Employment (CT-HR-12)

To be considered for this position:

1. **DMHAS employees who are lateral transfer candidates** (example: Clinical Social Worker applying to a Clinical Social Worker 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. All applicants must submit three (3) letters of supervisory reference, a copy of any license or certification and their two (2) most recent performance appraisals.

PLEASE SEND APPLICATIONS TO:
Southwest Connecticut Mental Health System
Human Resources, 1635 Central Avenue, Bridgeport CT 06610
Fax: (203) 551-7674
Email: SWCMHS.recruit@ct.gov

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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.