



DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH & ADDICTION SERVICES
JOB OPPORTUNITY
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CLINICAL MANAGER
Forensic Services Division

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Open To: The Public
Location: Connecticut Valley Hospital-Russell Hall, Middletown, CT 06457
Job Posting No: OC77410
Hours: 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., Monday – Friday, (full time, 40 hours per week)
Salary Range: \$86,813.00- \$118,362.00
Posting Date: January 25, 2016 **Closing Date:** January 31, 2016

Duties include: Oversight of contracted programs including the Transitional Case Management (TCM) program for sentenced men with addictions who are discharging to the community, two residential programs, and community programs used by PSRB clients; assist community agencies and Whiting Forensic Division/CVH staff with developing and implementing discharge and management plans for Psychiatric Security Review Board patients; manage the DMHAS-DOC interagency program including chairing regular interagency meetings, lead planning for release of inmates with complex needs who present significant community risk, identify and resolve interagency system barriers to re-entry, and develop new policies related to continuity of care for discharging inmates; represent DMHAS at case reviews of high risk inmates with serious mental illness who are returning to the community; manage the DMHAS-DOC-UConn protocol for referring discharging inmates with serious mental illness and process referrals to ensure continuity of care; gatekeeper for two residential programs for adults discharging from an inpatient forensic hospital or from DOC; respond to inquiries from clients, families, etc. regarding resources for clients; serve on state level multiagency workgroups to improve response to justice-involved adults.

Position will develop trainings and train program staff; develop and implement program policies; ensure that contracted programs follow recovery principles; manage relationship between program staff and criminal justice agencies; implement QI measures; analyze program data, produce data reports, and produce written reports; develop and maintain contracts, budgets, policies, and protocols to ensure continuity of care for clients transitioning from the hospital or DOC custody to the community; identify and resolve program problems; develop request for proposals, manage rebidding, proposal review, contracting, implementation, policy and procedure development, etc.; implement new programs as additional resources become available.

Preferred Experience: Collaborating with criminal justice and other state agencies, and assessing risk for clients involved with the criminal justice system.

General Experience:

Four (4) years of professional experience in Behavioral Health Care and a Master's Degree in a clinical discipline, Public Health Administration, Health Care Administration or Hospital Administration.

Special Experience:

Two (2) years of the General Experience must have been supervising professional staff.

For state employees, this is at the level of Behavioral Health Unit Supervisor; Nurse Supervisor or Supervising Clinician.

Special Requirements: Incumbents in this class must maintain the appropriate current license for alcohol and drug counselor, clinical social work, marital and family therapist, professional counselor, registered nurse or clinical psychologist. Incumbent will be required to travel and must have a valid motor vehicle operator's license.

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 the State of Connecticut Application for Examination and Employment (CT-HR-12), a cover letter, and a resume to:

DMHAS/Office of the Commissioner
Human Resources
410 Capitol Avenue, 4th Floor
Hartford, CT 06106
Fax: (860) 418-6697
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