

DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH & ADDICTION SERVICES
JOB OPPORTUNITY
River Valley Services
DMHAS Behavioral Health Clinical Director

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Open To: The Public
Location: River Valley Services – Middletown, CT
Job Posting No: RV26396
Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m. -- 5:00 p.m.
Salary Range: \$91,161.00 Annually
Closing Date: November 25, 2013

Duties may include but not limited to: Serves as Associate Director for Clinical Operations at River Valley Services, a Local Mental Health Authority of The Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services. Directs staff and operations of all clinical programs, including Acute Services, Community Support, Admission & Liaison Services, and Young Adult Services with responsibility for day to day operations, quality of care, professional services, implementation of DMHAS mission and policies, and regulatory/standards compliance; manages service delivery in accordance with RVS/DMHAS policy and procedures, fiscal allocation, state and federal laws and regulations, and Joint Commission standards; implements and monitors quality of care measures; provides oversight and consultation in the management of complex clinical issues; conducts critical incident reviews; evaluates the outcomes of service provision and plans to address needs through improvement initiatives; directs new program development efforts as needs are identified; oversees and monitors the efficacy of the clinical risk management system; directs/oversees the selection of candidates for vacant clinical positions; directs/oversees the structures and processes which ensure competent clinical staff performance; collaborates with the Quality Improvement and Medical Directors to ensure that program standards and high quality services are maintained; furthers the development of the RVS recovery oriented service model and use of evidence based practices; furthers the development of integrated behavioral health and physical health services for persons served; oversees the clinical staff continuing education program and other clinical training activities; participates in external professional activities as needed to foster improved care and collaboration and to contribute to the DMHAS mission; may serve as the CEO in his/her absence; performs related duties as required.

Eligibility Requirement: State employees currently holding the above title or those who have previously attained permanent status may apply for lateral transfer.

General Experience: Six (6) years of professional experience in Behavioral Health Care and a Masters Degree in a clinical discipline, Public Health Administration, Health Care Administration or Hospital Administration

Special Experience: Four (2) years of the General Experience must have been in a managerial capacity directing clinical operations or the delivery of behavioral health care services. This includes the supervision of professional behavioral health care staff.

NOTE: Managerial experience is defined as formulating program goals and objectives, developing and implementing program procedures, initiating program policies and developing and/or monitoring a budget.

Special Requirements: Incumbents in this class may be required to possess appropriate current license for clinical social work, marital and family therapist, professional counselor, registered nurse or clinical psychologist.

Application Instructions:

To be considered for this position 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.

PLEASE SEND APPLICATION TO:

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