



BEHAVIORAL HEALTH COORDINATOR

Job Description

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

Residential Youth Services & Empowerment (RYSE) seeks a Behavioral Health Coordinator to provide mental health services with a focus in substance use, trauma informed practice, harm reduction, and evidence-based practices. Manage client motivation, overcoming obstacles, intakes and assessments, creating treatment plans, facilitate referrals, and collaborate with RYSE personnel and community partners.

JOB RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Provide professional knowledge of evidence-based concepts, principles, procedures and practices for youth.
- Develop, implement, and evaluate integrated treatment approaches and trauma informed youth programs that adhere to and uphold the standards of RYSE.
- Conduct in-depth clinical assessment for potential mental health and/or substance diagnosis, domestic/community violence, physical/sexual/emotional abuse, and physical health needs.
- Utilize evidence-based practices such as TF-CBT, Motivational Interviewing and Seeking Safety.
- Provide individual/supportive counseling; co-occurring disorders treatment; crisis intervention, and service/discharge planning.
- Facilitate outpatient treatment groups and workshops to address the therapeutic and psycho-educational needs of youth survivors; develop and maintain group curriculum.
- Collaborate and partner with local law enforcement, schools, victim service providers, other service providers, and community stakeholders.
- Consult and coordinate linkages with integrated primary care, mental health and substance use treatment.
- Attend required meetings, including, but not limited to supervision, staff meetings, and training.
- Maintain confidential protected health information including HIPAA, state and federal laws.
- Monitors client progress and maintains accurate records.
- Prepares and submit required reports.
- Performs other duties as assigned.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Minimum 2 years of relevant experience working with opportunity adolescents or youth victims.
- Experience in crisis intervention, group facilitation, documentation, and case management.
- Knowledge of trauma-informed care and dual diagnosis treatment.
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills.
- Familiarity with juvenile justice and social service systems preferred.
- Must have reliable vehicle, relevant auto insurance, a clean driving record, valid driver's license and willing to drive vehicle for job related tasks.
- Maintain certification in CPR & First Aid/AED.
- We believe in second chances. Individuals with challenging backgrounds are strongly encouraged to apply. Employment is subject to required clearances which include fingerprinting, background checks, and drug testing.
- Ability to complete Hawaii State Victim Assistance Academy and OVC Training and Technical Assistance Center VAT training within 90 days of hire.

EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

- Bachelors or Master's degree in Marriage and Family Counseling, Mental Health Counseling, Psychology, Social Work, or related field.

Job Type: Full-time

Salary: \$50,000-\$55,000/year

RYSE is an Equal Opportunity employer and encourages all candidates to apply including members of the LGBTQ+ community.