

Van Buren Community Mental Health

NOTIFICATION OF EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Effective: August 2, 2019

Title: Family Intervention & Education Clinician

Position Number: C502410

Program: Children's Intensive Services	Office Location: Hartford	Status: Regular Full-Time, 37.5 hrs/wk
Union: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Benefits: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Salary Scale: \$42,531 - \$55,020 per year

Basic Responsibilities:

Provide home, agency, and community based parent education, screening, clinical and early intervention support to families with infants, young children and youth with mental health issues. Outreach services help to promote nurturing parenting attitudes and skills, teach developmental stages of childhood, teach positive approaches to child behavior/discipline, and interventions the caregivers may utilize to support healthy social and emotional development of the child, and to remediate problem behaviors. Provides screening and evaluation for children aged 0-3 to evaluate for Social-Emotional concerns and make appropriate referrals.

Summary of Required Qualifications:

- Master's degree in mental health related-field with appropriate state licensure.
- At least one year of experience working with families with young children.
- Demonstrated knowledge/training of social work practice as it relates to working with families of young children, including the ability to understand age appropriate functioning, developmental stages, and the impact of the parent/child relationship, in order to provide screening/assessment, diagnosis, appropriate intervention, and referral.
- Must have or be able to achieve within 12 months a Level II endorsement by the Michigan Association of Infant Mental Health.
- Valid Michigan driver's license with an approved driving record.

Summary of Essential Job Functions:

- Screens and assesses the developmental and emotional needs/wishes of youth aged 0-3 and their caregivers and facilitates appropriate referrals.
- Develops, implements, documents, and reviews parenting methodology of service delivery, interventions and objectives in a Person/Family Centered Services Plan for assigned customers.
- Monitors and documents all progress related to goals and objectives as listed in the master service plan including the family/customer's stability and the effectiveness of current services.
- Assists families in the development of positive parent-child reciprocal interactions and attachments; facilitates the enhancement of problem-solving skills and knowledge of child development, the reduction of psychological and environmental stressors, and the development of social support systems.
- Provides education to parents using evaluated models that promote nurturing parenting attitudes and skills, teach developmental stages of childhood, teach positive trauma informed approaches to child behavior/discipline, and interventions the parent/caregiver may utilize to support healthy social and emotional development, and to remediate problem behaviors.
- Provides Trauma Informed clinical interventions for assigned customers.

To apply, submit your cover letter and resume to the Human Resources Office:

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Debra Hess, CEO

