

**Van Buren Community Mental Health**  
**NOTIFICATION OF EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**  
**Effective: March 27, 2024**

<b>Title: Mobile Crisis Clinician</b>		<b>Position Number: C410910</b>
<b>Program:</b> Crisis Services	<b>Office Location:</b> Paw Paw	<b>Status:</b> Full-Time (37.5 hrs/wk)
<b>Union:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<b>Benefits:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<b>Salary Scale:</b> \$48,921 - \$71,842 per year

**Basic Responsibilities:**

Serves as an integral member of the mobile crisis team, providing immediate support to individuals experiencing mental health crises & emotional distress. Conducts assessments, de-escalates crisis situations, & provides appropriate interventions to ensure the safety & well-being of customers. Provides crisis services to individuals wherever they are; including home, work or anywhere else in the community where the individual is experiencing a crisis. Works under indirect supervision, functioning as a member of an integrated mobile crisis team.

**Summary of Required Qualifications:**

- Master's degree in social work, psychology, or counseling with appropriate state licensure, certification and/or endorsement. LMSW licensure preferred.
- At least two years' clinical experience in community-based mental health services, including crisis intervention and response.
- Demonstrated diagnostic and case reporting skills and ability to provide effective crisis stabilization services to youth and adults.
- Michigan driver's license with acceptable record and own transportation to deliver services in locations that may or may not be barrier-free.
- Ability to work independently and as part of a team, including the ability to be punctual; manage time and crisis situations flexibly and effectively; and demonstrate good judgment.

**Summary of Essential Job Functions:**

- Provides & documents direct clinical services, including crisis intervention, de-escalation, safety-planning, assessment, and service planning.
- Assesses the needs/wishes of individuals and families through a person/family-centered process.
- Facilitates the coordination of services to meet individual needs, links customers to community resources, coordinates with primary care and advocates for the least restrictive environment.
- Coordinates services of the crisis team with police, schools, community agencies, etc. to identify and obtain resources and services in a psychiatric crisis.
- Provides coordination and follow-up for customers after crisis resolution and assists in obtaining necessary additional services to ensure quality care.
- Assists individuals/families in developing natural supports to increase success in the community.
- Intervenes with individuals, families, or groups in coordination with the service/treatment plan to enhance or restore the capacity for emotional/social functioning in the home/school/community.


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

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Approved by:

  
Debra Hess, CEO

