Psychologist Job Description

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Schedule- Monday – Friday Hours Between 8am – 5pm

Requirements

Friends of Family Health Center (FOFHC) is committed to providing, affordable, whole-person healthcare to all those in need through the delivery of culturally sensitive and high-quality comprehensive services.

The Psychologist will use an integrative model to evaluate, diagnose and treat behavioral health disorders of individuals, couples and families and collaborate with behavioral health team and primary care providers to plan and implement appropriate care.

- Obtains appropriate information related to diagnosis/evaluation of patients' behavioral health, including patient interviews and review of patient health records.
- Observes patients, selects, administers, interprets intelligence, interest, personality and other psychological tests to diagnose disorders and formulate plans of treatment.
- Documents goals for treatment and course of treatment.
- Collaborates in implementing behavioral health treatment and evaluate improvement for patients.
- Collaboration in selecting effective intervention, including individual therapy such as directive, non-directive, supportive therapy and plans frequency, intensity and duration of therapy.
- Collaborates with professionals such as psychiatrist, psychiatric nurse practitioners/PA-C, nurses, care managers, substance abuse professionals, pain management specialists and primary care providers in developing treatment programs for providing the most comprehensive and integrated care possible for patients.
- Consults with other professionals in the community such as school personnel, area behavioral health professionals, law enforcement, court officials to work effective treatment.
- Serves as consultant to social, educational, welfare and other agencies on individual cases or in evaluation, planning and development of mental health programs.
- Instructs and directs students serving psychological internships in clinics.
- Perform other duties as assigned.
- Effective/efficient computer skills, especially use of electronic health record system.

Education and Experience:
Must possess a doctorate in Clinical or Counseling Psychology (Psy.D, Ph.D.) Prefer two or more years of experience; Prefer experience with Adults and Children. Current California licensure or license-eligible within 3-6 months of hire. Eligible for credentialing with third-party insurance carriers. Bilingual Spanish/English Preferred.

Experience working with patients addressing mood, anxiety, trauma, substance use, psychosis, relational, adjustment, and other DSM 5, ICD-10 diagnoses. Experience working in a healthcare/medical social work/health psychology setting preferred. Knowledge of federal, state, and county regulations for Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs) preferred.

Friends of Family Health Center, is a non-profit Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC). Our mission is to provide affordable, comprehensive, culturally appropriate, cost effective primary health care to residents of Southern California communities, especially those individuals/families with limited resources or with other barriers to health care, in order to improve their overall health status.

Competitive salary with full benefits package including employer-sponsored health, dental, vision insurance, life insurance and long term disability insurance, PTO, paid holidays, and opportunity to apply for NHSC Loan Repayment Program.

**Valid CA Driver's License.**

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Job Type: Full-time

Required education:

- Doctorate

Required experience:

- Psychologist: 2 years