

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

Pre-Licensed Counselor, Bilingual

Arlington Free Clinic is a community-based nonprofit organization committed to advancing health equity by providing free, whole-person healthcare for our neighbors who would otherwise lack access. We offer comprehensive services onsite including primary and specialty care, behavioral health, and dental care. Our core values define the spirit with which we carry out our work and include respect, integrity, equity and inclusion, innovation, compassion, collaboration, and passion.

We are seeking an experienced **Bilingual Resident in Counseling** to provide therapy to the Clinic's patients with behavioral health concerns. **This position is a full time grant funded position for up to three years and is an opportunity for free clinical onsite supervision**. This is not a fee for service position. Hybrid of onsite and telework considered.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Provide mental health therapy to patients, under supervision of a Licensed Professional Counselor.
- Conduct behavioral health assessment and triage patients with mental/behavioral health concerns.
- Design and participate in the development of treatment plans, incorporating best and leading practices into treatment.
- Provide ongoing education for staff and volunteers on relevant behavioral health issues and organize in-service opportunities with community organizations.
- Manage and lead therapy and/or psychoeducational groups.
- Collaborate with clinical and behavioral health team members to coordinate patient care and ensure best outcomes.
- Provide positive, supportive, empathetic, and compassionate patient support and interactions for all patients.
- Provide emergency intervention as needed.
- Advocate on behalf of patients regarding rights and needed services.
- Responsible for timely and accurate completion of medical records.
- Track and report accurate data for behavioral health grants.

QUALIFICATIONS

• Master's degree in mental health counseling

- Currently has or meets requirements to apply for License as a Resident in Counseling within 2 months of employment and be working toward licensure (LPC).
- Bilingual in English and Spanish, written and spoken required.
- At least 2 years' professional experience in a behavioral health or related field
- Experience in delivering high-quality, patient-centered care.
- Experience in developing effective treatment plans.
- Ability to empathize with patients / clients to provide for a safe and trusting therapeutic relationship.
- Outstanding verbal and written communication skills.
- Superb interpersonal and collaboration abilities
- Strong computer proficiency with experience using electronic patient medical records and Microsoft Office Suite and Electronic Medical Records

This is an excellent full-time position offering a competitive salary and excellent benefits, including health and dental insurance, Flexible Spending Plan, 401(k) retirement plan, ten paid holidays and free parking. Interested candidates must be willing to be fully vaccinated against Covid-19. Qualified candidates should submit resume to Director of Human Resources at nadkins@arlingtonfreeclinic.org.