MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONAL

Job Posting Date: May 22, 2018

Division
Allegheny Children’s Initiative

Department
Family Based Mental Health

Status
Full Time

Hours / Schedule
Flexible to meet the needs of the caseload

Position Reports To
Director and / or Assistant Director of Family Based

Primary Work Location
Pittsburgh (South Side), PA

Travel
Yes; throughout Allegheny County

Start Date
June 2018

Additional Information
This position can be filled by either a Bachelors or Masters level staff

OVERVIEW
Provide intensive home-based therapeutic interventions and support services in collaboration with a partner to families whose children and/or adolescents meet the criteria for a psychiatric (mental health) diagnosis and who are at risk for inpatient psychiatric hospitalization or other out-of-home placements.

RESPONSIBILITIES
• Provide intensive family therapy, parent management, psycho-education and support services
• Conduct individual and family therapy sessions, primarily in the home
• Conduct a comprehensive Initial Assessment / Intake Evaluation of the consumer / family
• Develop a Comprehensive Treatment Plan and a Crisis/Safety Plan in collaboration with the family
• Coordinate and/or link families with formal services and supports
• Maintain collateral contact and collaborative relationships with formal and informal agencies
• Identify, develop and implement additional supportive services reimbursable via FBMHS FFS funds
• Assist consumers in establishing relationships with other service providers

QUALIFICATIONS
1. Minimum of a Master's Degree in Counseling, Social Work, Psychology or related field and minimum of two (2) years experience in a CASSP-oriented setting OR Minimum of a Bachelor's Degree in Psychology, Sociology, Social Work or related field in accordance with regulations and minimum of one (1) year experience in a CASSP-oriented setting
2. Excellent clinical skills and familiarity with family systems / other therapeutic modalities and supportive and concrete services available to children and families
3. PA licensure and/or certification by American Association of Marriage and Family Therapists preferred
4. Sincerely interested in improving the lives of children with mental health diagnoses
5. Excellent communication skills, both written and verbal
6. Excellent computer skills
7. Act 33 / 34 and FBI clearances
8. Valid Driver’s License and full time use of a vehicle

TO APPLY
Submit online application at PFQ.org OR email resume with wage requirements to Careers@pfq.org