



POSITION DESCRIPTION

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TITLE: Bilingual LICSW Clinician
STATUS: 40 hours per week, Non-Exempt
REPORTS to: Practice Manager

POSITION SUMMARY

Exciting opportunity to join a dynamic team of dedicated professionals providing comprehensive Medical and Behavioral Health Care to vulnerable Rhode Island adults in an award-winning community health setting. This Bilingual LICSW Clinician/Preceptor will provide direct Behavioral Health Care to patients, support MSW and BSW Trainees, coordinate Behavioral Health services with Behavioral Health Trainees and Team, and work as an integrated partner with the Clinic's Medical Director, Practice Manager, staff, and volunteers.

RESPONSIBILITIES

The following are primary duties:

- Provide direct patient care including clinical social work and mental health services, and on-site, telephone, and telemedicine visits.
- Conduct intake interviews and other activities related to quality direct service.
- Support referrals to community partners when needs fall beyond the Clinic's scope of practice.
- Work with Clinic's interdisciplinary team and volunteers, in accordance with RI Free Clinic policies/procedures and appropriate standards of care.
- Provide Behavioral Health consultation to volunteer physicians, nurses, and specialists.
- Accept and coordinate warm hand-offs as needed to support providers in offering high level of care to patients in need of urgent assessment and treatment.
- Support MSW and BSW intern/extern training program by providing required individual and group supervision hours and leading didactic seminars. Mentor and supervise MSW and BSW trainees as appropriate.
- Participate in peer chart reviews and risk management activities aligned with Clinic policies.
- Enhance use of Behavioral Health reporting in Electronic Medical Record (eClinicalWorks).
- Maintain timely and appropriate clinical records.
- Perform other duties and responsibilities as required and/or assigned by the Practice Manager.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Bilingual in English and Spanish required.
- Master's Degree in Social Work (LICSW) from a recognized and accredited institution.
- Experienced Behavioral Health Clinician with at least 2 years team experience.
- Previous clinical experience working with university and college students is preferred.
- Currently maintain an unrestricted license to practice in Rhode Island.
- Demonstrated excellence as a clinician, collaborative team player, and mentor.
- Commitment to working with a diverse patient population in a community health setting.

- Adherence to high ethical standards is required.
- Effective communication skills both oral and written, and strong interpersonal skills.
- Knowledge of eClinicalWorks preferred, willingness to become proficient required.

BENEFITS

- Salary \$65,000-\$70,000 depending on experience
- Working with an exceptional team of staff and volunteers
- Health & Dental insurance
- Generous paid time off including vacation, sick, personal, and 10 paid holidays
- 403 (b) retirement plan, and Board-approved % match
- Flexible Spending Account

ORGANIZATION DESCRIPTION

Rhode Island Free Clinic (www.rifreeclinic.org) is a nationally recognized, award-winning free clinic in Providence that provides free comprehensive health care to uninsured, working poor, and low-income Rhode Island adults. It also serves as an educational site for trainees in health care fields.

Care is provided through a dynamic statewide network of volunteer medical professionals working with academic, medical, and community partners, leveraging robust health care resources with a vitality that is unmatched in Rhode Island and remarkable in the nation. In 2021, the Clinic mobilized over 550 volunteers and community partners to provide over 14,000 patient visits to vulnerable adults, and over 5,000 hours of training for students in health care fields.

Join our team and be part of an exceptional group of staff and volunteers improving the health and vitality of individuals and our state.

TO APPLY:

Please email **COVER LETTER** and **RESUME** to: info@rifreeclinic.org