LIFE MANAGEMENT CENTER OF NORTHWEST FLORIDA, INC. JOB DESCRIPTION

DATE ESTABLISHED: 10/01/2015

TITLE OF POSITION: Family Intensive Treatment (FIT) Master's Level Counselor

POSITION NUMBER: 29-10

PROGRAM: Bay Child

COMPONENT: Family Intensive Treatment (FIT) Team

MINIMUM TRAINING, CREDENTIALS AND EXPERIENCE REQUIRED: Master's degree in psychology, social work or related human services discipline and minimum of one year experience working with children and/or adults who have substance use disorders or mental health issues, and their families. Must have a valid Florida driver's license and meet all Center requirements for vehicle operations and transportation of clients in Center and non-Center vehicles.

Completion of Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation and Basic First Aid training (within six months of hiring).

Compliance with minimum standards for screening of mental health personnel as contained in F.S. 394.4572.

SUPERVISOR: FIT Team Leader

POSITIONS SUPERVISED: None

SALARY MINIMUM: \$45,500; \$1,500 stipend for staff licensed under F.S. 491; \$2.35 per hour for on-call duty and \$66.30 per on call face-to-face contact.

WAGE AND HOUR STATUS: Exempt: XXX (Professional)

Non-exempt: ____

DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES: *

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS: (Essential functions of this position are listed below. The position also includes additional functions as needed and/or assigned by supervisor.)

- 1. Complete comprehensive evaluations that address individual needs, abilities, strengths and preferences. Address family dynamics that are relevant to successful family functioning.
- 2. Develop treatment plans and reviews in conjunction with other team members that address family factors.

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- 3. Work with families toward the implementation of the treatment plan with emphasis on helping family members achieve resilience and autonomy.
- 4. Provide individual, family and group treatment.
- 5. Participate in staffing and consultations in settings in which the family functions such as schools, work and recreational environments, staffings regarding child welfare issues.
- 6. Assist families with establishing a natural support system that provides ongoing support during and post program participation.
- 7. With other team members, provide support and education to family members to help them become knowledgeable about substance use and mental illness, collaborate in the treatment process, and assist in their family member's progress.
- 8. Regularly attend organizational staff meetings to assess client status and progress, to coordinate treatment activities, and to develop treatment solutions to problems other staff is having.
- 9. Participate in staff training regarding skill development basic to the treatment of families involved in the Child Welfare system, and persons with substance use disorders and/ or co-occurring mental health difficulties.
- 10. Perform client related documentation in accordance with Center policies and procedures, component specific guidelines and contract provisions, as applicable.
- 11. Refer for client services as indicated.

OTHER ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

- 1. Travel required between clinics and other sites including homes, schools and community locations where clients are served.
- 2. Maintain after hours availability as required by the needs of the clients and as directed by the Team Leader.

Physical & Other Requirements:

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Activity				Expectation		
Standing			☐ Minimal		☐ Free	quent
Sitting			☐ Minimal		☐ Free	quent
Driving vehicles			☐ Minimal		☐ Free	quent
Lifting and/or Carrying				☐ Moderate	☐ Free	quent
Bending and/or Stooping			☐ Minimal		erate	
Climbing Stairs and/or Ladders				☐ Moderate	☐ Free	quent
Walking or Moving (between offices, other facilities, etc.)			☐ Minimal		☐ Free	quent
Other (lift above waist/reachinn/A	ng etc., please explain)		☐ Minimal	☐ Moderate	☐ Free	quent
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Overtime (Non-Exempt only)						\boxtimes
Holidays/Weekends			\boxtimes			
Shift Work (PMs/Midnights)						\boxtimes
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