LIFE MANAGEMENT CENTER OF NORTHWEST FLORIDA, INC. JOB DESCRIPTION

DATE ESTABLISHED: 08/19/97 **DATE LAST AMENDED:** 06/30/16

TITLE OF POSITION: Program Director – Children Services

POSITION NUMBER: 41-1

PROGRAM: Children Services - Bay/Gulf/Calhoun/Holmes/Washington/Jackson Counties

MINIMUM TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS:

Master's degree in a mental health discipline. Active license as a Mental Health Counselor, Clinical Social Worker, or Marriage and Family Therapist under Chapter 491 Florida Statutes, or as a Psychologist under Chapter 490 Florida Statutes. Five years of post-degree mental health services experience, one year of which must have been administrative experience.

Life Management Center relies heavily on technology to run its business; therefore, all employees are required to have basic computer skills. These basic skills will include knowledge of creating folders, saving and retrieving files, e-mail (Outlook), MS Office (Word and Excel), using web browsers such as Internet Explorer and/or Mozilla Firefox, along with operating a keyboard, mouse, and printer.

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

Life Management Center maintains and enforces a drug-free workplace policy. Applicants are required to be drug tested prior to employment. Under certain circumstances, employees may also be required to submit to drug and/or alcohol testing. Information on the Drug-Free Workplace Policy is contained in the employee Handbook and set forth in the Drug-Free Workplace Policy, available through the Human Resources Department and the organization's website at www.lifemanagementcenter.org

SUPERVISOR: Chief Executive Officer

POSITIONS SUPERVISED: Office Manager, Component Directors for the following components: Children's Outpatient Services, Healthy Families, Community Action Team, Visitation, Specialized Therapeutic Foster Care, Child Psychiatric Services, and Family Intensive Services team.

SALARY MINIMUM: \$50,000

WAGE AND HOUR STATUS: Exempt (Executive)

DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:1

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¹ Expectations regarding quality and quantity of work are further delineated in the criteria-based performance appraisal.

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

- 1. Ensure that the program operates in accordance with: (a) policies and procedures of the Life Management Center of Northwest Florida, Inc., (b) contract provisions, (c) legal rules and regulations, and (d) professional standards.
- 2. Collaborate with the Chief Executive Officer and other Program Directors to formulate and achieve the Center's objectives.
- 3. Plan operations of the program. Organize staff to most effectively subdivide the work of the program and assign responsibility and delegate authority as necessary to accomplish this work.
- 4. Supervise and develop program staff. Initiate hiring, firing, and personnel disciplinary processes as necessary.
- 5. Construct program budgets and achieve program fiscal objectives.
- 6. Respond to the behavioral health needs of persons in our community through the development of new services and programs and securement of new service contracts or grants.
- 7. Establish proper liaison with other agencies and community groups to further the objectives of the program and the Center.
- 8. Ensure staff has the training, work tools and processes needed to execute their duties.

Physical Requirements:

Activity				Expectation				
Standing				☐ Minima	ıl √ Moderate	□ Fre	quent	
Sitting				☐ Minima	I ☐ Moderate	√ Fred	quent	
Driving vehicles				√ Minima	I ☐ Moderate	□ Fre	quent	
Lifting and/or Carrying				√ Minima	I ☐ Moderate	□ Fre	quent	
Bending and/or Stooping			√ Minima	I ☐ Moderate	□ Fre	quent		
Climbing Stairs and/or Ladders			√ Minima	I ☐ Moderate	□ Fre	quent		
Walking or Moving (between offices, other facilities, etc.)			☐ Minima	ıl √ Moderate	□ Fre	quent		
Speaking:	√Yes	\square No						
Hearing:	√Yes	\square No						
Reading Comprehension:	√ Yes	□ No						
Ability to lift and carry up to 15 pounds.								
Ability to handle stressful situations: ☐ Minimal ☐ Moderate √ Frequent								
	Infrequent		Occa	asional	Frequent		N/A	
	•			mes Month)	(2 to 3 times/Week o			

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Travel Same Day		V	
Travel Overnight	$\sqrt{}$		
Holidays/Weekends	$\sqrt{}$		
Overtime (non-exempt only)			\checkmark
Shift Work (PMs/Midnights)			$\sqrt{}$

* Not Anticipated

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