



Substance Use Disorder Counselor (Non Registered/Certified Welcome to Apply)

Job Description

At Family Health Centers of San Diego, we believe in career progression and offering new positions and opportunities to our already wonderful employees!

Thank you for taking the time to apply for your next opportunity! Please remember, FHCSO requires you must have been in your current position for at least 6 months and cannot be on any disciplinary action.

*Also, please be aware that your new application will notify your current manager of your intent. Please be sure to discuss with him/her your intentions.

Family Health Centers of San Diego (FHCSO) is looking for a Substance Use Disorder Counselor (SUDC) to provide substance abuse screening, brief interventions, therapy for individuals and groups, and coordinates referrals for patients. Responsibilities also include providing leadership and training to staff related to chemical dependency issues, and serving as a subject matter expert in the cross-functional treatment team.

Responsibilities:

- Completes all required documentation accurately, in a timely manner, and thoroughly in accordance with department standards; in addition, documentation complies with patients' insurance requirements.
- Develops and maintains community resources information and contacts related to assigned patient population. Acts as a liaison and may provide consultations with community agencies.
- Participates in the design and implementation of mental health and substance abuse service delivery, working closely with multi-disciplinary team to ensure continuity of care.
- Provides direct substance abuse counseling services, including crisis intervention and individual, group, and family counseling, targeting assigned patient population groups experiencing substance abuse/dependency disorders. Provides support and assistance to maintain patients' treatment and recovery.
- Provides substance abuse education and referral information to patients, families, and other staff members in the areas of substance abuse counseling and treatment services.
- Provides substance abuse screening and assessments. Participates in the development of patients' individualized care plans. Assesses patients' need for enrollment in medical, self-help programs, outpatient services, and/or residential facilities and makes referrals, if necessary.
- Performs other duties as assigned.

Requirements:

- Registered Intern status or certification from a California State Substance Use Disorders (SUD) Services certifying agency such as the California Association of Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Counselors (CAADAC) required (Non Registered/Certified Welcome To Apply).
- High School diploma (or GED equivalent) required.
- 1 year experience in providing counseling required; 2 years of experience providing counseling to assigned patient demographics, such as patients diagnosed with serious mental illness or HIV, preferred.
- Meet organizational driver requirements.



Rewards:

- Job type: Regular Full Time
- Competitive Salary with Excellent Benefits
- Retirement Plan with Employer Match
- Paid Time Off, Extended Sick Leave and Paid Holidays
- Medical/Dental/Vision/FSA/Life Insurance
- Employee Discounts and Wellness Programs

FHCS was founded by community activists working towards a common goal: caring, affordable, high-quality medical care for all. We are proud to continue this mission today as we provide accessible services to over 210,000 patients across San Diego County. The successful candidate will have a demonstrated commitment to community medicine and providing culturally competent care to the medically underserved.

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Job Details

Job Requisition ID	R0004928
Location	South Bay Behavioral Health Center (Solutions for Recovery)
Posting Date	01/13/2020 - 1 month ago
Job Family	Extra Mental Health Services Staff
Time Type	Full time
Job Type	Regular
Supervisory Organization	Special Populations: AOD Services (Heather Summers (3532))

Recruiter



Tanesha Mounger (0471)

Hiring Manager



Heather Summers (3532)



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