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Executive Director
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Job description

Department: School Based Mental Health	Job Title: School Based Mental Health Provider (SBMH)
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Overview:

The School Based Mental Health (SBMH) Mental Health Provider is a key member of the Central Region Educational Cooperative's (CREC) SBMH "Help Team" which provides behavioral and mental health supports to rural school districts surrounding the Albuquerque area. Travel time to and from districts is included in the work-day and mileage for travel is reimbursed every month. The Help Team Mental Health Provider will primarily work directly with students in a therapeutic/clinical role. CREC employees are New Mexico State employees and eligible for all related state benefits and participate in the New Mexico Educational Retirement Board (NMERB) system. This position is full-time and works 210 days, 11 months out of the year.

Minimum Requirements:

- Master's degree in social work (LMSW, LCSW), Licensed Mental Health Counselor (LMHC), or Licensed Professional Clinical Mental Health Counselor (LPCC).
- NMPED license or ability to obtain a NMPED license prior to hire.
- Excellent interpersonal skills.
- Understanding of, and appreciation for the regional, cultural, and individual differences that will be encountered in rural New Mexico schools.
- Appreciation for, and adherence to, strict client confidentiality standards
- Ability to present information related to supporting and maintaining student's mental health goals to school personnel, mental health providers, family members, and the student.

- Valid Driver's License and ability to provide own transportation and travel for a substantial portion of the day daily.
- Ability to work independently out of a satellite/home office, while utilizing effective time management skills as needed.
- Ability to schedule, plan, and facilitate observations, consultations, and trainings between multiple districts, each with specific and diverse needs, resources and understanding of student's mental health needs.
- Demonstrate competence with technology necessary to confidentially maintain client records and provide appropriate data to local, state and federal agencies; such as word processing, Therapy Notes, and Max Capture, and other applications.
- Comfortable with video conference technology, tele-therapy and web-based platforms.

Scope of Work:

- Travel to rural districts surrounding the Albuquerque area to provide services.
- Conduct assessments for the diagnosis of social, emotional, and/or behavioral difficulties.
- Provide treatment of social, emotional, and/or behavioral difficulties through direct therapy.
- Maintain accurate and up to date client records.
- Develop and implement individual care plans.
- Collaborate with other health care professionals and school personal to insure seamless coordinated care.
- Adhere to strict confidentiality standards while being aware of the frequent need to obtain appropriate legal consent to collaborate with others supporting the client.
- Provide professional learning for school staff related to mental health needs of students.
- Provide student/family support and professional learning in person, or virtually.
- When appropriate attend meetings to support staff and family with the integration of a student's mental health needs with their educational and daily living needs.
- Regularly meet and collaborate with other members of the SBMH Help Team to evaluate and plan for team-wide coordination of services as a whole and to specific districts.
- Maintain regular communication with the SBMH Coordinator regarding implementing all of the above.

Job Type: Full-time

Pay: From \$78,064.00 per year

Benefits:

- Dental insurance
- Employee assistance program
- Flexible schedule
- Health insurance
- Life insurance
- Paid time off
- Professional development assistance
- Vision insurance

Schedule:

- 8 hour shift
- Monday to Friday

Education:

- Master's (Required)

Experience:

- Clinical or School: 1 year (Preferred)

License/Certification:

- NM PED or Professional Clinical Licensure (Preferred)

Ability to Commute:

- Albuquerque, NM 87109 (Required)

Ability to Relocate:

- Albuquerque, NM 87109: Relocate with an employer provided relocation package (Preferred)

Willingness to travel:

- 100% (Required)