



Responsibilities:

- Provide direct services in all behavioral health programs, which include, but are not limited to mental health counseling, substance abuse/addictions, elder care, admissions, emergency preparedness and other special programs and projects.
- Promotes public education and awareness by taking part in presentations before community groups emphasizing mental health programs as directed by Behavioral Health/Psychiatric Services Director
- Provides crisis/suicide intervention by agency-provided telephone after hours on rotation with coworkers and with supervisor support. All interventions are addressed over the phone.

Schedule:

- Position requires 2 evenings a week (11:00 am – 7:00 pm) Tuesday through Thursday.
- Remaining days (including Mondays and Fridays) are 8:30 am – 4:30 pm.

Benefits:

- Base Salary - \$63,000 - \$68,000 per year (Depending on Qualifications)
- 13 Paid Holidays per year.
- Paid Vacation Time – accrued each month, available for use immediately, increases incrementally with years of service.
- Paid Sick Time – 6 hours accrued each month, available for use immediately, unlimited carryover each year.
- Paid Personal Time – 40 hours annually, complies with Illinois Paid Leave Act.
- Group Health Insurance – Blue Cross/Blue Shield, HMO & PPO options available for employee & family members.
- Dental Insurance – available for employee and family members.
- Vision Insurance – available for employee and family members.
- Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF) Pension Plan with voluntary additional contributions. Eligible to receive an IMRF regular plan pension (vesting) after 10 years of service.
- Employer sponsored Life Insurance – employee only coverage.
- Employee sponsored Life Insurance – available for employee and family members.
- AFLAC benefit options.
- Legal Shield & Identity Theft Shield benefit options.
- Employee Assistance Program.
- Professional development encouraged; time allocated for trainings.
- This position qualifies for the federal Public Service Loan Forgiveness Program.

Qualifications/Skills:

- Positive, cooperative, and professional attitude.
- Excellent communication skills.
- Ability to provide mental health and substance use counseling to adults and youth.
- Reflects experience/interest in the culturally diverse population that the health department serves.
- Bilingual in Spanish preferred.

Education, Experience, and Licensing Requirements:

- Master's degree in a human service-related field required & experience in group, family & individual therapy or crisis/suicide intervention.
- License as LCSW LCPC, or LMFT required.
- Valid Illinois Driver's License.
- Ability to pass background check.

To Apply:

Interested candidates should please email their cover letter and resume to Lorena Corral at lcrral@kendallcountyl.gov. Or feel free to give us a call at (630) 553-8053 to learn more about working at the Kendall County Health Department, an Equal Opportunity Employer.