



Job Title: Senior Counselor of Adolescent Substance Use Disorder Services **Job Group:** X

Location: 140 Pine Street, Hamburg, NY 14075

Reports to: Assistant Clinical Director of SUD Services

SUMMARY:

The Senior Counselor of Adolescent SUD Services is responsible to provide training to the Child and Adolescent Mental Health staff on how to correctly assess, diagnose, and treatment Substance Use Disorders (SUD). He/She will also oversee successful integration of SUD services into the already existing child/adolescent mental health services. Additionally, he/she will provide direct services to clients and families and is responsible for the clinical administrative supervision of assigned staff. The Senior Counselor of Adolescent SUD Services performs other duties as assigned by his/her supervisor.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Develops and provides training on SUD pathology, assessment, diagnosis, and treatment
- Oversees implementation of an adolescent SUD track in the existing Child and Adolescent MH Clinic
- Assists in the revision of existing forms to ensure compliance with NYS OASAS requirements
- Provides individual, group, family and crisis counseling to Adolescent SUD track clients
- Provides clinical supervision to assigned staff and actively participates in case conference, in particular around cases where there is SUD present
- Participates with administrative staff in program development and marketing activities
- Serves as a liaison to the community including referral sources, county, juvenile justice, etc.

Knowledge, Skills & Abilities:

Must be able to work effectively in groups and able to develop and provide training focused on Substance Use Disorders. Must have thorough knowledge of commonly abused substances, the addictive process, and effective SUD treatment methods and resources. Must have experience with adolescent clients and their families. Must have knowledge of psychiatric disorders and standard mental health treatment modalities. Must have clinical supervisory skills and the ability to communicate effectively both orally and in writing.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Master's Degree in Social Work, Mental Health Counseling, or Rehabilitation Counseling plus two (2) years of direct experience in a mental health or substance use disorder treatment setting and one (1) year in a supervisory position; OR a Bachelor's Degree in human service field plus four (4) years full time paid direct service experience in an acceptable social agency, including two (2) years in a SUD program or multi-service mental health setting and one (1) year with some clinical supervisory responsibility. Must have QHP designation (LMSW, LCSW, RN, LMHC, CRC or CASAC).

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