



Employment Opportunity

SHA (Saskatoon)

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Applicants selected for interviews will be contacted

Psychologist - PHD Senior

Posting #:	GO-00685742
Position #:	107307
Posted Date:	August 09, 2022 17:00 CST
Closing Date:	Open Until Filled
Type:	Permanent Full Time
City/Town:	Saskatoon
Facility:	Nurses Alumni Wing
Department:	Mental Health & Addiction Services
Geographic Location:	Children's Mental Health Services
Expected Start Date:	August 12, 2022
FTE:	1.0
Shift Information:	Days
Hours of Work:	In a 3 week rotation: 14 shifts of 8.00 hours
Salary or Pay Band:	\$60.032 to \$73.232 (5 step range)
Number of Positions:	1

The Saskatchewan Health Authority is the largest employer in Saskatchewan, employing over 43,000 staff in a dynamic healthcare environment.

The Saskatchewan Health Authority is committed to providing coordinated quality services that are seamless, safe and patient-centred.

Note to Internal applicants. To ensure your application is received and you are included in the applicant list, please submit your resume and cover letter via Gateway Online. For postings within former RQHR only, apply via email through jobs@rqhealth.ca, quoting the posting number, or through Health Careers in Saskatchewan, if available.

By submitting your application, you consent to your application history being shared with Human Resources and the

Job Summary:

Under the direction of the Manager, the incumbent will provide psychological assessments and therapy in the context of the family and community for children (ages 0 to 12 years of age) with a range of emotional and behavioral difficulties. Clinical services will include psychological assessments, psychometric testing, diagnostic services and treatment. The psychologist works as part of the multidisciplinary team and provides a range of services to children who are experiencing significant distress or dysfunction related to mental disorder, trauma, cumulative stress, family related issues and/or problems in daily living. They are responsible for monitoring psychological testing equipment and advising the Manager when additional resources are required to support the provision of psychological services. In keeping with our commitment towards student training, the incumbent may provide supervision to doctoral students from the SHA Clinical Psychology Residency Program and to University of Saskatchewan practica students. The incumbent will occasionally provide input into program development, planning and evaluation. The position requires sound judgment and the incumbent must be able to work with minimal supervision.

Experience:

- Two years of demonstrated competence and experience in providing clinical assessments and intervention services for infants, children and families with mental health related issues (including family therapy, parent counselling and child psychotherapy) utilizing "best practice" approaches.
- Supervised training in assessment and intervention with children exhibiting emotional/ behavioral difficulties

Qualifications:

Required Qualifications

- Ph.D. Degree in Clinical Psychology which includes a accredited (or equivalent) residency.
- Registration in the Saskatchewan College of Psychologists, with Authorized Practice Endorsement.

Knowledge, Skills & Abilities

- Ability to collaborate effectively with community personnel
- Ability to work effectively with minimal supervision
- Demonstrated ability to work collaboratively within a multi-disciplinary setting and with colleagues in the community
- Demonstrated competence and experience in providing clinical assessments and intervention services for infants, young children, and families (including family therapy, parent counseling, child psychotherapy and group therapy) utilizing "best practice" approaches.
- Demonstrated expertise in the use of group treatment procedures
- Excellent interpersonal skills with clients, professionals and other staff
- Experience in clinical assessment and diagnosis of children using DSM-5 classifications
- Expert knowledge of normal child development and psychopathology.
- Expertise in research design, analysis and program evaluation
- Extensive knowledge of family systems.
- Good organizational skills.
- Knowledge of, and experience, utilizing standardized psychometric instruments and a wide range of evidence based measures typically used with children
- Skills and expertise in educating other mental health professionals
- Strong oral and written communication skills

Other Information

- Field Hours
- Preference for this position will be given to HSAS members in accordance with the terms and conditions of the SAHO/HSAS Collective Agreement. HSAS seniority within the Saskatchewan Health Authority will be considered under the Selection Criteria.

Additional Text:

DEMONSTRATED SKILLS IN MENTORING, TRAINING AND CLINICALLY SUPERVISING CHILD AND ADOLESCENT CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGISTS AND RELATED DISCIPLINES. EXPERT KNOWLEDGE OF NORMAL CHILD AND ADOLESCENT DEVELOPMENT AND PSYCHOPATHOLOGY. EXTENSIVE KNOWLEDGE OF FAMILY SYSTEMS. EXTENSIVE EXPERIENCE IN PROVIDING THERAPEUTIC INTERVENTION APPROPRIATE TO THE TREATMENT OF CHILDREN'S/ADOLESCENT'S MENTAL HEALTH CONCERNS AND OTHER FAMILY PROBLEMS, INCLUDING EXPERT KNOWLEDGE OF RESEARCH AND BEST PRACTICE LITERATURE. KNOWLEDGE OF ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT TECHNIQUES APPROPRIATE TO AN ABORIGINAL/MULTICULTURAL POPULATION. KNOWLEDGE OF, AND EXPERIENCE, UTILIZING STANDARDIZED PSYCHOMETRIC INSTRUMENTS AND A WIDE RANGE OF EVIDENCE BASED MEASURES TYPICALLY USED WITH CHILDREN AND YOUTH.