



PSYCHOLOGIST MENTAL HEALTH OUTPATIENT PROGRAM

St. Joseph's Care Group (SJCG) in Thunder Bay, ON is accepting applications for full time Psychologists for the Mental Health Outpatient Program at the St. Joseph's Health Centre.

Mental Health Outpatient Program is an interprofessional, time-limited, goal-oriented team approach to mental health treatment. The program aims to provide timely access to mental health services using an evidence-based decision guide model that is focused on matching mental health needs to the appropriate service(s) available. We aim to support individuals in making better informed, strength-based and holistic choices for their mental health treatment.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

The Psychologist is responsible for the assessment, diagnosis, prevention and treatment of behavioural and mental disorders and dysfunctions; and the maintenance and enhancement of physical, intellectual, emotional, social and interpersonal functioning (Psychologist Act , 1991).

QUALIFICATIONS

- Registration or eligibility for registration with the College of Psychologists and Behaviour Analysts of Ontario
- Experience in the provision of brief and moderate term psychological intervention, including group and individual psychotherapy and behaviour management techniques with adults with serious mental health and/or addiction issues
- Experience in a variety of evidence-based treatment approaches with adults is preferred
- Knowledge of Decision guide/Shared Decision making model of care, motivational interviewing and strengths based approaches to care
- Knowledge and experience with the development, execution and evaluation of treatment plans utilizing SMART goals
- Skill/experience in the administration and interpretation of psychometric tests
- Experience in research, program evaluation, and knowledge transfer preferred
- Experience providing supervision to non-registered staff and/or students is preferred
- Experience working within an interprofessional team setting with the ability to work collaboratively as a team player with excellent relationship building, interpersonal, and conflict resolution skills
- Understanding of relevant legislation (Mental Health Act, Health Care Consent Act and PHIPA)
- Knowledge of the Strategic Priorities of SJCG and Mental Health Outpatient Programs
- Demonstrated regular attendance at work and adherence to the SJCG Principles of Conduct

ANNUAL SALARY \$119,652 - \$152,490

HOURS OF WORK Days / 37.5 hours per week

**To learn more and apply to this exciting opportunity,
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ABOUT ST. JOSEPH'S CARE GROUP

- Combining tradition and innovation in responding to the unmet needs of the people of Northwestern Ontario since 1884.
- Offers a broad range of programs and services in Rehabilitative Care, Addictions & Mental Health, and Seniors' Health across 8 sites in the City of Thunder Bay.
- Over 2,200 staff and growing.
- Accredited with Exemplary Standing, the highest level awarded by Accreditation Canada.
- Uses technology to help overcome challenges to healthcare including the sheer size of Northwestern Ontario to bring care closer to the people we serve.
- Northwestern Ontario regional lead for Rehabilitative Care, Behavioural Supports and Palliative Care.
- Coupling research with mobilization, our Centre for Applied Health Research (CAHR) supports internal and external staff and clinicians through expertise, project consultation and knowledge translation.
- Continues to advance a self-management approach to care, and we are involving our clients more closely in their own care decisions to achieve the health outcomes that are important to them.

WHY WORK FOR US?

SJCG cares about "Our People", and we know that a welcoming, caring, and supportive environment creates a positive work place that ensures employees are able to provide the best possible care to our clients. As a member of the team, you will be offered:

- Relocation assistance
- Competitive and progressive salary and benefit packages
- Opportunities to grow and contribute within a supportive team environment
- Ongoing professional development and advanced education
- Employee wellness initiatives
- Opportunities to participate in research and teaching initiatives
- Tuition loan program
- Employee and family assistance program
- Employee referral program

ABOUT THUNDER BAY, ON

If you enjoy the benefits of work life balance that a smaller centre can offer, with the benefit of working in a large and progressive organization, come join us in Thunder Bay!

Nestled on the pristine shores of Lake Superior and surrounded by the beauty of nature, Thunder Bay, with a population of 110,000, offers a perfect balance of urban and rural life. With world class sailing, boating, camping, hiking, and cycling in the summer months, and downhill and cross country skiing in the winter, Thunder Bay has something to offer healthy living enthusiasts throughout the year. Affordable housing and a vibrant, culturally diverse community with access to fine dining and the arts, make this community a wonderful place to live, work, and raise a family. Thunder Bay has excellent schools, including publicly funded French language, French immersion, and International Baccalaureate programs, as well as Confederation College and Lakehead University. Thunder Bay is home to the west campus of the Northern Ontario School of Medicine and the newest Law program in Ontario. Thunder Bay also offers innovative opportunities through the Thunder Bay Regional Research Institute.

MORE INFORMATION

For more information about St. Joseph's Care Group and Thunder Bay, please visit the following websites:

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