

Job Title:

Clinical Psychologist (non-supervisory): Behavioral Health Clinic (04 to 05 billet)

Job Description:

Serves as a clinical psychologist performing psychotherapy with patients, either through individual or group therapy sessions. The work requires a professional knowledge of psychology, mental health dysfunction, and/or human growth and development, coupled with professional judgment of substance abuse. Requires extensive experience in the independent delivery of comprehensive mental health services. Experience providing mental health services to active duty military personnel and in military settings highly desirable. Exercises full professional responsibility for findings, interpretations, decisions, recommendations, and reports in the specialized area of clinical psychology. Evaluates and treats patients at all levels of complexity and severity. Performs professional duties independently in accordance with accepted psychological theories, models, techniques and practices.

Therapy, Case Staffing, and Treatment(55%):

Conducts therapy, monitors and approves all treatment planning, and provides advice for case staffing, using expert knowledge of general and specific concepts, principles, procedures, and practices relating to psychological counseling; expert knowledge of the full range of psychological testing; expert knowledge of psychodynamics, psychopathology, and therapeutic techniques; ability to analyze clinical assessments of patients across all levels of complexity and severity; skill in written communication; and skill in oral communication. Participates in writing Medical Evaluation Boards as appropriate.

Clinical Assessment(45%):

Screens and interviews patients, and performs bio-psychological social evaluations, using expert knowledge of general and specific concepts, principles, procedures, and practices relating to psychological counseling; expert knowledge of the full range of psychological testing; expert knowledge of psychodynamics, psychopathology, and therapeutic techniques; ability to analyze clinical assessments of patients; skill in written communication; and skill in oral communication.

Testing:

Oversees and interprets appropriate tests, using expert knowledge of general and specific concepts, principles, procedures, and practices relating to clinical psychology; expert knowledge of the full range of psychological testing; knowledge of psychodynamics, psychopathology, and therapeutic techniques; ability to analyze patient assessments; skill in written communication; and skill in oral communication.

Requirements:

License: A current, unrestricted, and valid license as a clinical psychologist from a U.S. State, District of Columbia, Commonwealth, Territory, or other jurisdiction is required.

Training: The candidate must possess a qualifying doctoral degree in clinical psychology from an American Psychological Association accredited university or professional psychology program.

This position is for a minimum 3 year commitment.

Location Description:

McDonald Army Health Center, Fort Eustis Army base, Newport News, VA
Approximately 1 hour from Richmond, VA

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