



Job Title: School Based Clinician		Unit: Apex
Status: Full-time		Location of Position: Youth Specialty Services/ Oglethorpe and Madison
Posting Date: September 14, 2020	Application Deadline Date: Until filled	Job Code: HCP 120

Clinician
Monday-Friday 8:30am-5pm *with evening and weekend flexibility

Position summary:

APEX clinicians are school based and work in local elementary, middle and/or high schools. Clinician’s interview clients, provide behavioral health assessments, individual, family, or group psychotherapy, design and/or implement behavior modification programs and may make determinations about potentials of high risk or treatments of hospitalization. APEX clinicians collaborate closely with schools, physicians and other specialists to develop and implement treatment and intervention programs that clients can understand, agree, and comply with.

Duties and Responsibilities:

The candidate will interview clients and provide behavioral health assessments. Provide outpatient services either in schools or via tele-health including individual and family therapy, group therapy, and may perform psychosocial assessments, crisis assessments, ANSA, CANS, and treatment plan development. Responsible for coordinating services and communicating closely with families and/or other treatment specialists including DFACS, Juvenile Courts, and Schools, and other mental health professionals. Assist with personal development and school performance of the client, and other behavioral, therapeutic interventions and support. Support and intervene in crisis situations. Maintain billing productivity floor of 60% or higher. Complete documentation that relates to the customer-driven mental health treatment plan. Other pertinent daily or weekly duties may include:

- School trainings and consultation services
- Parent Trainings and consultation services
- Facilitation of groups and summer programs for children and adolescents
- School staff collaboration to meet the program deliverables of increasing mental health awareness
- Ensure delivery of authorized services by completing required CMO/Medicaid requests for authorization forms
- Determine eligibility for a higher level of care (such as hospitalization in CSU/PRTF/intensive outpatient), for clients
- Create BIRP progress notes for every session/interaction with clients
- Maintain communication with client's parents/guardians, and collateral contacts such as teachers, counselors, case workers, etc. in order to discuss his or her progress, or no-shows for therapy sessions
- Complete discharge paperwork and safety plans for clients released from MH services
- Provide case management and collaborate with community linkages to assist clients in obtaining essential resources
- Communicate effectively and appropriately with others both verbal and written.
- Manage workload efficiently and prioritize tasks to meet deadlines and goals.
- Create or complete any necessary weekly updates on clients
- Attend required clinical supervision and departmental staff meetings

Minimum Qualifications:

Must have excellent time management skills, organization and the ability to be flexible to meet the client, program and school's needs.

Candidate must have at least a Master's Degree from an accredited educational institution in Psychology, Social Work, or Community Counseling AND LMSW, LMFT, LPC LCSW or PsyD status (or licensed eligible within 6 months of hire) in the state of Georgia.

Experience working with children, youth and families, case management or community/in-home based services: experience with ANSA, CANS, administering CAFAS, treatment plans and familiarity with clinical terminology.

Experience working with schools systems or similar

Preferred Qualifications:

Bilingual (English/Spanish)

To APPLY

Applications must be received by the deadline date to be considered. To apply send resume to recruiter@advantagebhs.org.

Advantage Behavioral Health Systems
Human Resource Recruiter
250 Bray Street, Athens, Georgia 30601

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