

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH
Juvenile Justice Mental Health Services Program

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Clinical Psychologist II

Training Coordinator, Mental Health

The Juvenile Justice Mental Health Quality Assurance Program has immediate openings for clinicians holding the payroll title for the above positions to serve as Quality Assurance Coordinators for Juvenile Justice Programs throughout Los Angeles County.

Desirable Qualifications:

- Expertise with standards set forth by County, State and Federal Guidelines for mental health services under Medi-Cal and EPSDT
- Ability to work collaboratively within a team setting while also being able to take direction, adapt to changing priorities and accept responsibility for coordinating multiple job assignments in order to meet deadlines
- Training skills that include experience with curriculum development and group presentations
- Strong organizational, communication and interpersonal skills
- Clinical license in the State of California

Essential Duties:

- Serve as the DMH Quality Assurance Coordinator charged to assist DMH and Contract agency staff in meeting County, State and Federal Guidelines and the Settlement Agreement between the County of Los Angeles and the Department of Justice as well as other applicable standards
- Conduct quality assurance audits for the Juvenile Justice Mental Health Programs utilizing the quality assurance monitoring tools approved by DMH and the DOJ for the purpose of determining compliance with County, State and Federal Guidelines for mental health services and the terms of the Settlement Agreement
- Review audit findings with the Quality Assurance Manager and submit a detailed monthly Compliance Report on the status of Mental Health provisions pertaining to the DOJ Settlement Agreement
- Complete narrative summaries detailing audit findings for clinicians and their administrators
- Provide face-to-face feedback and ongoing technical assistance to clinicians, Supervisors and their Program Head
- Improve overall staff performance by identifying and addressing individual and group training needs
- Attend staff meetings and offer group trainings to DMH staff
- In collaboration with the QA Manager and Quality Assurance team, develop necessary curricula on documentation, quality of care and other topics for which there is an identified training need
- Collaborate with Quality Assurance Manager and Quality Assurance team members in order to assure that all programmatic needs are met

Individuals holding the payroll title of Clinical Psychologist II or Training Coordinator, Mental Health, are encouraged to submit their resumes to:

**Juvenile Justice Mental Health Program
550 S. Vermont Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90020
Attention: Gail Blesi, Ph.D., Quality Assurance Manager
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Tel: 213-351-5220 Fax: 213-639-1361**

Recruitment will continue until the positions are filled

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