COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES – DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH
DMH/DCFS COLLABORATION PROGRAM

TRANSFER OPPORTUNITY

Restricted to Department of Mental Health (DMH) Employees

Clinical Psychologist II

The Service Area 5 Specialized Foster Care Co located Program is seeking an enthusiastic, motivated, experienced individual to fill the position of Clinical Psychologist II. Candidates with excellent clinical, organizational, and mental health crisis oriented skills are encouraged to apply.

EXAMPLE OF DUTIES:

• Provide clinical expertise at various multidisciplinary interagency meetings.
• Screening and assessing children and youth to identify their mental health needs.
• Activating and coordinating services with the DMH Psychiatric Mobile Response team (PMRT) as well as providing crisis intervention services.
• Providing brief psychotherapy until the children and transition age youth are successfully linked to appropriate mental health services.
• Acting as a liaison between the DMH/DCFS specialized programs, and, if warranted, accompanying DCFS staff on field visits.
• Managing and monitoring referrals to mental health and non mental health providers.
• Coordinating and teaming with DCFS staff and DMH SA5 administrative staff.
• Documentation via the IBHIS system.
• Tracking monthly referrals via the SFC tracking system.

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS:

• Clinical experience working with children and adolescents with mental health issues and co-occurring substance disorders.
• Experience coordinating with various State/County entities such as DCFS, DMH, Probation and the court system.
• Experience in effectively accessing and coordinating mental health and non mental health community services.
• Experience and/or desire to work in a crisis oriented environment.
• Demonstrated experience with adhering to set timelines, documentation requirements, and HIPAA policies.
• Demonstrated experience to work effectively in a team environment.

Interested applicants who are currently holding the payroll title of Clinical Psychologist II may submit their resume, last two (2) performance evaluations, and last two (2) years of master time cards by 5:00 PM on Tuesday, May 31, 2016 to:

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