



Specialized Treatment Facility Child-Adolescent Psychiatrist Opportunity

Physician must be a board-certified child/adolescent psychiatrist or a psychiatrist who has successfully completed an approved residency in child/adolescent psychiatry with a Mississippi license. Submitted credentials package must be approved by the MS Board of Mental Health.

This position will duly serve as the psychiatrist and the medical director responsible for coordinating medical services and directing resident treatment. There are no other psychiatrists to supervise. This position is supported by a Nurse Practitioner and an Administrative Assistant.

About STF - The Specialized Treatment Facility (STF) operates under the auspices of the Mississippi Department of Mental Health. The STF is a Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facility (PRTF) with an on-site school to serve up to 48 youth. STF serves adolescents ages 13-18 that have been civilly committed and youth/chancery court ordered for mental health treatment. STF also treats alcohol and substance abuse as a secondary diagnosis. Inappropriate admissions are a primary diagnosis of substance abuse and a youth that is in an acute state of mental health. The catchment area is the entire State of Mississippi. The average length of stay is 6 months.

Clinical Evidenced Based & Best Practices - The Mandt System, TF-CBT, SPARCS (Adolescents Responding to Chronic Stress), and the Matrix Model for Teens. The STF is also an accredited school.

Duties:

- Approve admissions, discharges, & therapeutic passes
- Psychiatric evaluation within 72 hours of admission
- Treatment Team weekly
- Collaborating Physician to the Nurse Practitioner

Working Hours - Up to 20 hours per week. There is no after-hours on-site response or “call”. Insurance provided.

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