



Position: Clinical Counselor 2

Position Date: 4/22/10

Job Number: 100449

Company: **Daytop**

Location: Staten Island

Req'd Education: High School Graduate or BA

Salary: **Commensurate with Experience**

Req'd Experience: 1+ years

Employee Type: Non-Exempt

Certifications: CASAC REQ

Industry: **Substance Abuse Rehabilitation**

Manages Others: NO

Position Type: Full-Time

Languages:

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COMPANY DESCRIPTION:

For over 40 years, Daytop has enjoyed worldwide recognition and favor as a leader in promoting the therapeutic community model of substance abuse rehabilitation. Daytop is a charter member of the World Federation of Therapeutic Communities (WFTC), and in 1987 was awarded Consultative Status with the United Nations under the Economic and Social Council.

DESCRIPTION OF JOB:

Daytop is looking for a Clinical Counselor 2 to join our team. This position will provide counseling and intervention services to assigned caseload of clients.

Principle Responsibilities:

- Knowledge of clinical tasks (re: Assessment Tool, ASAM, Minuchin Family Therapy, Life Skills, Treatment Planning, Special Program (e.g. Women's Program), Discharge Summaries.
- Keep clinical files on assigned caseload, accurate and current, lead other clinicians in use of Assessment tool, ASAM, Treatment Planning, and Progress Notes.
- Develop treatment plans in concert with Clinical Director or assigned designee that reflect an understanding of specialized Track issues as related to Physical, Medical, Cognitive and Psychosocial needs and specific diagnosis.
- Adhere to Daytop-NY Treatment philosophy and mission.
- Adhere to clinical Licensure and Accreditation Standards.
- Supervision and management of residents on assigned caseload in concert with Clinical Director or assigned designee to insure treatment goals and objectives are being met.
- Represents the agency at meetings, speaking engagements, etc.
- Knowledge of Mental Health status and diagnosis of each client on their caseload.
- Adhere to ASAM placement criteria as it applies to residents on their caseloads.
- Conduct discharge planning as assigned.
- Facilitate crisis intervention as needed.
- Knowledge of clients with life threatening ideations/behaviors per Daytop-NY policy.
- Knowledge of residents referred for psychiatric/ psychological evaluations.
- Adhere to Licensure and Accreditation Standards vis-a-vie clinical coverage.

- Adhere to multidiscipline treatment recommendations that are incorporated into treatment plans.
- Participate in and take a leadership role in Treatment Plan Reviews & Case Conferences.
- Operations
- Serve as “back-up” personnel in the absence of other staff to conduct body screens, medication supervision, or urine collection.
- Participate in In-Service trainings.

Qualifications:

- CASAC
- Training in Daytop treatment modules (21 hours in Emotional/Psychological, Intellectual/Spiritual, 16 hours thereafter).
- Use of Daytop-NY Assessment Tool (4 hours per year).
- Concepts of Minuchin Family Therapy (8 hours per year).
- Training in-group and individual counseling methods (8 hours per year).
- Concepts of peer supervision (8 hours per year).