

Licensed Mental Health Counselor

Job Description

As a Licensed Mental Health Counselor, you would provide clinical mental health counseling and psychotherapeutic services to individuals in a variety of settings; apply professional counseling theory, principles, and methods to assess, evaluate, identify, and treat individuals with mental, emotional, and behavioral disorders, including addiction and problem gambling; prevent, alleviate, or eliminate symptomatic, maladaptive, and undesired behavior; and may supervise counseling interns and graduates, and/or lower-level support staff.

Minimum Qualifications

On or before the date of filing your application, you must have possession of a license and current registration as a Licensed Mental Health Counselor in New York State.

Salary Information (4/4/2024)

Includes location pay and other salary adjustments:

| Location (County) | Minimum Salary | Maximum Salary |
|--|----------------|----------------|
| Dutchess, Orange, Putnam | \$70,173 | \$88,682 |
| Rockland, Westchester, Bronx, New York, Kings, Queens, Richmond, Nassau, Suffolk | \$71,923 | \$90,432 |
| All counties other than those above | \$68,523 | \$87,032 |

Additional Requirements for Appointment

1. Background checks are required.
2. Medicaid and Medicare: To be eligible for appointment and maintain employment, you cannot be listed as an excluded individual or entity on any of the Federal and/or State Medicaid and Medicare exclusion lists (or excluded from any other Federal or Federally assisted program). You may be barred from appointment or your

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employment may be terminated at any time if you are listed as an excluded individual or entity on any of these lists (or excluded from any other Federal or Federally assisted program).

3. If appointed, you may be required to become an enrolled Medicare provider; obtain and provide to your employer a National Provider Identifier (NPI) number issued by the National Plan and Provider Enumeration System (NPPES); and otherwise actively participate to the degree necessary to allow for your services to be billed through Medicare and Medicaid. If you are appointed and are required to become a Medicare Provider and lose the ability to bill through Medicare and Medicaid, you may be terminated from your employment.