



MENTAL HEALTH CLINICIAN
SALARY: \$4,142.07 - \$5,035.06/month*
FINAL FILING DATE: OPEN UNTIL FILLED

***Plus \$800 monthly stipend for employees who are Licensed Clinical Social Workers (LCSW), licensed Marriage and Family Therapists (MFT), or have a PhD in clinical psychology;**
Or \$700 monthly stipend for employees with a Master's in Social Work (MSW) or a Master of Art (MA) in clinical psychology

THE POSITION

Assesses, diagnoses, counsels, and provides psychotherapeutic treatment, rehabilitation, and care coordination for seriously emotionally disturbed children and adolescents, and seriously and persistently mentally ill adults; provides educational and consultation services to other community agencies, and the public; and performs related duties and responsibilities as required.

EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS

Knowledge of: Working knowledge of: assessment, diagnosis, prognosis, counseling, and psychotherapeutic treatment; marriage, family, and child relationship dysfunctions; methods of developing and implementing a treatment plan; current trends in the field of mental health; and laws and regulations applicable to mental health.

Ability to: Perform effective counseling and psychotherapy with individuals, families, and groups; develop and maintain cooperative relationships with clients' families, members of other professional disciplines, social agencies, and co-workers; relate professionally with persons with serious mental disorders; identify and utilize community resources; and advise and train other mental health staff; and prepare and present clear and concise oral and written reports.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Education:

Graduation from an accredited college or university with a Master's degree in social work, family or marriage counseling, psychology, or closely related field. **A copy of your Master's degree or college transcript must be included with your application.**

Additional Requirements:

Possession of a valid license as a Clinical Social Worker (LCSW), or a valid license as a Marriage and Family Therapist (MFT), or an intern number of licensure as either an Associate Clinical Social Worker or a Marriage and Family Therapist intern in the State of California as established by the Board of Behavioral Science Examiners. **A copy of your LCSW or MFT license or Intern number of licensure must be included with your application.**

Possession of a valid California driver's license is also required. Under certain circumstances, the Human Resources Director may accept a valid driver's license from another state if applicant acknowledges his/her intent to acquire a California driver's license within three months by signing an acknowledgement form.

TYPICAL WORKING CONDITIONS

Work is normally performed in an office environment. Interaction with clients requires adaptability when confronted with emergency, critical, unusual, or potentially dangerous situations. Potential exposure to infectious diseases.

TYPICAL PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS

Requires the ability to sit at a desk for long periods of time and intermittently walk, stand, stoop, kneel, crouch and reach while performing office duties: lift and/or move light weights; use hands to finger, handle or feel objects, tools or controls. Must be able to maintain effective audio, visual discrimination and perception needed for making observations, communicating with others, reading and writing, and operating office equipment. Must be able to use a telephone to communicate verbally and a keyboard to communicate through written means, to review information and enter/retrieve data, to see and read characters on a computer screen.

THE SELECTION PROCESS

All interested applicants must fill out a job application. In order to assist us in the selection process, please be sure your application includes a copy of your résumé which describes your educational training. The selection process will consist of a review of the application and résumé to determine whether minimum qualifications are met. If you meet the minimum qualifications a competitive evaluation of education, training and experience will be performed. Your overall score will be based on the competitive evaluation of the application and résumé (100%). The selection process may be altered if there are less than eleven qualified applicants.

HOW TO APPLY Contact Mariposa County Human Resources, P. O. Box 1917 (4988 11th Street, Suite B), Mariposa, California 95338, (209) 742-1380 or complete the job application at this Web site. Submit your completed job application to Human Resources with your resume and copies of your college degree/transcript and BBS license or intern number of licensure.

VETERAN'S PREFERENCE POLICY

Veterans of the Armed Forces of the United States who have received an honorable discharge or general under honorable conditions discharge shall be given preferences in initial appointment to County service. Such preference shall apply only to the first appointment to any County position. The preference shall be implemented as follows:

- Where examinations are scored, the preference shall be five (5) additional points if the applicant, without the preference, obtains a passing score on all portions of the examination process.
- In cases where examinations are not scored, the preference shall consist of advancing the applicant one full ranking if the applicant, without the preference, obtains a passing ranking on all minimum qualifications during the examination process.

Persons claiming eligibility for Veteran's Preference must submit a copy of Form DD214 with the job application.

SPECIAL NOTES

Please be careful in filling out your prior work history in Section 15 of the application. Show the starting and ending dates (month and year) for each job listed and the number of hours per week that you worked. **Sections 13 and 15 of the application must include sufficient information to show that you meet the minimum qualifications described in the job bulletin for the position for which you are applying.** A résumé may be attached; however, applications where the prior work history section is not completed may be returned as incomplete.

To comply with the 1986 Immigration Reform and Control Act, Mariposa County verifies that all new employees are either U.S. Citizens or aliens authorized to work in the U.S.

Reasonable Accommodations for Individuals with Disabilities - The County of Mariposa makes reasonable accommodations for the individual with disabilities including an obligation to ensure that only the essential duties of the position are required to be performed. Individuals with disabilities requiring any accommodations, in order to participate in the testing process, must inform the Mariposa County Human Resources Office. Also, those applicants needing such accommodations should document this request including an explanation as to the type and extent of accommodations needed to participate in the selection process and/or perform the duties of the job for which they have applied.

The information contained herein does not constitute either an expressed or implied contract or offer of employment, and these provisions are subject to change.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER * WOMEN AND MINORITIES ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY