



Carousel Child Advocacy Center – Position Announcement

POSITION TITLE: Forensic Interviewer/Child Therapist

Reports to: Forensic Interview/Clinical Director

FLSA Status: Full-Time/Exempt – New Hanover, Brunswick and Pender Counties

Supervises: None

Work Schedule: Agency business conducted: Monday-Friday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm (some evening or weekend hours may apply).

Location: On site – in office, with some community work

GENERAL STATEMENT OF POSITION DUTIES:

Conducts developmentally appropriate child forensic interviews as part of the Child Medical Exam (CME). Collaborates with the Multi-Disciplinary Team to ensure thorough and comprehensive interviews, keeping with best-practice standards. Make recommendations in conjunction with the Multi-Disciplinary Team (MDT) regarding child and family needs. Testifies in court in criminal and/or civil cases.

Provide evidence-based mental health therapy services to children who've experienced trauma; Provides clinical consultation as needed to Carousel Child Advocacy Center (CCAC) staff and volunteers; Completes all required documentation per Medicaid and TCC standards. Supports the operations of CCAC, including taking referrals for therapy services, providing crisis intervention as needed, and other general office duties. This position requires knowledge of child development, trauma-informed caregiving, have a strong knowledge of group dynamics, the ability to establish rapport with victims/survivors, families, physicians, students, volunteers, staff from other disciplines, and the public, and the ability to document observation accurately.

Supports the operations of CCAC, including taking referrals for CMEs and Therapy Services, providing crisis intervention as needed, and other general agency, office and/or non-profit team duties.

Education and Experience Requirements:

- Master's Degree or higher in social work or counseling
- At least one year experience in public or non-profit victim-centered, child protective services, and/or criminal justice system
- Equivalent combination of education and experience
- Intermediate experience with Microsoft Office 365
- Successful completion of a pre-employment criminal record, sex offender registry and drug screen
- Access to reliable transportation, have a valid operator's license and proof of vehicle insurance

Preferred Education and Experience:

- Licensed LCSW, LPC, or LMFT in North Carolina

- Knowledge, training and experience in individual/group therapy, specifically for children
- Knowledge, training and experience in child development, crime victims, trauma and crisis intervention
- Knowledge, training and experience in forensic interviews, specifically with children
- Training in Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (TFCBT), Child and Family Traumatic Stress Intervention (CFTSI), Child and Parent Psychotherapy (CPP), play therapy, Problem Sexual Behavior Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (PSBCBT), or equivalent
- Training in Recognizing Abuse Disclosures and Responding (RADAR) Child Forensic Interview model
- Knowledge and experience developing/implementing/working with multi-systemic community partnerships
- Current First Aid/CPR Certification

Maintains credentials by:

- Engaging in professional development activities
- Submitting CEUs or professional development documentation prior to the deadline
- Providing a copy of current credentials for personnel files

Conserves supervisors' time by:

- Problem solving
- Performing well
- Leading self and others
- Contributing to team efforts
- Following policies and procedures
- Exercising discretion and judgment regarding when to consult your supervisor
- Completing other duties, responsibilities and activities that may be assigned or changed with or without notice

Other position specifications:

- Likes children
- Calm in high-pressure/crisis situations
- Ability to work with a team
- Professional presentation
- Creative and organized
- Ability to prioritize and manage multiple needs and priorities
- Humble and open to constructive criticism and feedback

TO APPLY:

Email Resume and Cover Letter

Attn: Gina Solari, gina.solari@CarouselCenter.org

NO CALLS