



Full time/Salaried-Exempt  
Salary Range: \$ 42,522 to \$ 53,152  
40 hours a week

### **Mental Health Clinician– Alameda County**

**Definition:** Responsible for providing direct mental health services to children birth to twelve years old and their families. **Spanish speaking required**

**Reports to:** Clinical Supervisor

**Position Supervises:** None

#### **Essential Functions:**

1. Intake Services: assess appropriate referrals, conduct intake interviews, and complete necessary paperwork.
2. Provide therapeutic services within Scope of Practice and Competency level for children ages 0-5 and their families.
3. Assessment of social, emotional and development of children birth to five years old.
4. Establish and implement quality clinical treatment services.
5. Document and necessary are completed in a timely manner and by stated deadlines.
6. Develop service plan goals and charting.
7. Maintain and update client chart.
8. Provide billing reports and supporting documentation.
9. Attend Clinical and Quality Chart review meetings as assigned.
10. Communicate respectfully with professional and paraprofessional staff and other community members.
11. Provide appropriate referrals to community resources.
12. Report all suspected child abuse according to laws and regulations.
13. Attend regularly scheduled trainings and community meetings as assigned.
14. Collaborate with childcare centers providing consultation and training as needed.
15. Able to work in a non-traditional setting.
16. Position requires travel to varying locations.

#### **Qualifications:**

- Master's Degree in psychology, social work or related field.
- Licensed MFT, LSCW or License Eligible
- 5+ years in the field of social services, preferred.
- 2+ years in the field of infant and early childhood mental health, preferred.
- Training working with birth to five populations.
- Experience with multi-cultural communities.
- Experience working with young children 0-5 and their families.
- Familiar with principles of early childhood mental health assessment, treatment and diagnosis.
- Self-motivated; ability to work both semi-independently and in cooperation with others.
- Strong case management skills, intake & assessment skills, cultural competency.

- Effective and strong communication skills.
- Knowledge of early childhood development, mental health and attachment.
- Ability to exercise good judgment clinically, legally and ethically and to consult with supervisor as needed.
- Ability to make decisions and multi-task.
- Ability to make assessments and create appropriate service plan with good follow through.
- Ability to communicate clearly with treatment team both verbally and in writing.
- Flexibility: willing to see clients in clinical setting, in community, in clients' homes and, occasionally, work evenings and/or weekends.
- California Driver's License.
- Car is required to perform job duties.
- Proof of car insurance.
- DMV printout.
- TB clearance and health screening.
- Fingerprint clearance and Child Abuse Index clearance.

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