

# STATE OF ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH

#### **BRYCE HOSPITAL**

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#### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

JOB TITLE: Psychological Associate II OPEN DATE: 11/15/2024

**CLOSE DATE:** Until Filled

**JOB LOCATION:** Bryce Hospital **NUMBER:** 24-30

Tuscaloosa, Alabama **JOB CODE:** P3000

#### **SALARY**

- Range 72 (\$41,268.00 \$69,012.00 Annually).
- Salary will be commensurate with experience. Limitations apply to current State employees.

#### **BENEFITS**

- 12 paid holidays.
- 1 personal leave day accrued each January.
- 13 sick leave days.
- 13 annual leave days accrued in the first year of employment.
- Longevity bonus annually after 5 years of employment.
- Continuous opportunities for acquiring CEU's needed for maintaining professional license.
- Very low-cost health and dental insurance through the <u>Alabama State Employee Insurance</u> Board.
- Defined retirement benefit (not impacted by economic downturns) and a pre-retirement death benefit through the <u>Retirement Systems of Alabama</u>.
  - After 1 year, the minimum amount of the pre-retirement death benefit paid to your designated beneficiary is at least equal to your current or previous fiscal year annual salary.

## MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- Graduation from an accredited college or university with a Master's degree in Psychology, Counseling, or Behavioral Analysis.
- 12 months or more directly related work experience.

## KIND OF WORK

- Provides direct patient care by conducting age-appropriate individual and group therapy sessions.
- Develops, implements, and monitors behavior management programs for adult patients.
- Conducts age-appropriate psychological assessments under the supervision of a Doctoral-level Psychologist to facilitate diagnosis, treatment planning and release.
- Participates in treatment planning for adult patients.

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- Provides appropriate documentation in the medical record and/or elsewhere of clinical activities (e.g., psychological assessments, individual/group therapy notes, transfer notes, and psychological discharge summaries) within applicable time frames.
- Participates in mandatory in-service training, as well as required professional development inservice training.
- Performs other duties as assigned by Supervisor.

# REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES

- Knowledge and skills in psychological testing and evaluations.
- Ability to communicate effectively both orally and in writing.
- Ability to interact with patients, families, and other professionals in a courteous, professional manner.
- Ability to make good decisions.

#### METHOD OF SELECTION

- Applicants will be rated based on an evaluation of their job-related training, abilities, experience, and education, and should provide adequate work history identifying experiences related to the duties and minimum qualifications as mentioned above.
- All relevant information is subject to verification.
- Drug screening and security clearances will be conducted on prospective applicants being given serious consideration for employment whose job requires direct contact with patients.

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Only work experience detailed on the application will be considered. Applications should be submitted by the deadline to be considered. Announcements open until filled will remain open until a sufficient applicant pool is obtained. Applications should be submitted as soon as possible to ensure the application will be considered for the position. Copies of License/Certifications should be uploaded with your application. A copy of the academic transcript is required. Appointment of successful candidate will be conditional based on receipt of the official transcript provided by the school, college, or university.