



Job Description - Psychiatrist

Unique opportunity in private outpatient behavioral health clinic in Ann Arbor, MI. Hourly rate. 6-20 hrs per week.

OVERVIEW

Ann Arbor Consultation Services is the largest private outpatient behavioral services provider in Washtenaw County. We are currently looking for a highly skilled psychiatrist to join our psychiatric services team.

This is a great opportunity for a psychiatrist who enjoys working independently and with a team. As a primary psychiatric provider you will have responsibility for the diagnosis, treatment planning/medication management of a diverse group of primarily highly functioning patients (including adults, adolescents, children and families). Ninety-seven percent are insured (BCN, Blue Cross/ Blue Shield, Priority Health, and Medicare) Please note that we do not accept Medicaid products.

The most common presenting diagnoses in our clinic are Major Depressive Disorder, Persistent Depressive Disorder, Anxiety Disorders, Adjustment Disorders, Bipolar Disorder, ADHD, and Substance Use Disorders.

Your primary responsibility along with our 2 other psychiatrists and psychiatric nurse practitioner is to diagnose and provide medication management for patients referred by any of our 35+ LMSW and PhD therapists. The majority of your time will be spent in direct care. In 2017 our psychiatric service providers billed 16% initial evaluations (90792) and 84% medication management (primarily 99214). There will be adequate time for paperwork, consultation with our psychiatric services team and clinical staff as well as collaboration with community providers. This position requires previous experience and skill to provide excellent care with minimal supervision.

We are committed to patient-centered collaborative care based on medical necessity and best practices.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS, ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

1. Provide behavioral health services within the scope and practice as defined by your Michigan license
2. Assess, plan, develop, implement, and evaluate an effective and efficient treatment protocol that will appropriately meet the needs of patients utilizing best care practices, industry standards, organizational guidelines, appropriate accreditation standards, and applicable federal laws, including HIPAA
3. Obtain comprehensive health histories, perform or request special diagnostic and laboratory tests, interpret test results, and develop comprehensive psychiatric treatment plans
4. Provide mental health assessments, diagnoses, and treatment plans in identified areas; provide medication management for patients; and maintain appropriate health records
5. Prescribe pharmaceutical therapy consistent with medical evaluation, treatment plan and current standards of practice
6. Refer clients for more specialized or inpatient interventions as clinical situations dictate
7. Participate in a team management approach to patient care/treatment
8. Maintain appropriate files; develop and follow through on treatment plans within organizational guidelines; and prepare reports on the clinical management of patients
9. Maintain quality care through participation in peer review, policy development and quality improvement programs
10. Maintain appropriate documentation of clinical and counseling services, including all necessary billing information
11. Ensure accurate and consistent use of encounter forms for all client contacts with behavioral health providers to ensure accurate billing of third party resources
12. Maintain and update professional knowledge and proficiency through continuing education, staff meetings, workshops and serving on special committees
13. Other related duties as assigned

QUALIFICATIONS

1. Previous experience assessing and providing medication management for patients with behavioral health disorders in a psychiatric or primary care setting. Experience with adults, adolescents and children preferred.
2. Working knowledge and experience assessing and treating adults/adolescents with alcohol and other drug abuse/dependence
3. Expert clinical judgment and the ability to be self-directed and demonstrate initiative in an expanded role
4. Demonstrated critical thinking, problem-solving and conflict resolution
5. Effective oral and written communication with staff, patients and community providers.

COMPENSATION

Hourly rate base on experience and specialty areas.

HOURS

6-20 hours per week, days and times negotiable. Some evening or Saturday hours are preferred but not required.

CONTACT

If you have any questions, please contact our Clinical Manager, Karen Bowersox, Ph.D. at (734) 996-9111 ext 0. If you meet these requirements and believe that Ann Arbor Consultation Services might be a good fit for you (see a2consultation.com for more information), please email or fax your resume and a cover letter describing why you may be a good fit to: (734) 996-1950 or via email provided with this listing.