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## Peer Support Specialist - Addiction Services

#### **Description**

The Peer Specialist will help lead LIFECORE; Addiction Services to excellence by: providing support services to clients with serious mental illnesses in the Recovery Support Services program.

#### Responsibilities

- Assist clients in articulating personal goals for recovery.
- Serve as a recovery agent by providing and advocating for any effective recovery based services that will aid the client in daily living.
- · Collaborate with treatment team.
- The PS will maintain a working knowledge of current trends and developments in the mental health field.
- Other duties as assigned.

#### Qualifications

- Department of Mental Health Peer Support Specialist Certification
- · High School Diploma or GED
- Knowledge of the Recovery process and the ability to facilitate recovery using established standardized mental health processes.
- Knowledge and skill to teach and engage in basic problem solving strategies to support individual clients in self-directed recovery.
- Knowledge of the signs and symptoms of mental illness and the ability to assist the client to address symptoms using strategies such as positive selftalk
- Knowledge and skill sufficient to use community resources necessary for independent living and ability to teach those skills to other individuals with mental illness
- Knowledge of how to establish and sustain self-help and educational groups by soliciting input from the mental health consumers on their strengths and interests.
- Class C Driver's License
- Experience in computer software systems and EMR proficient
- A minimum of one (1) year non-abusive use of substances is required for all individuals.

#### Job Benefits

- PTO for personal needs and sick leave
- Military leave
- · Health Savings Account
- Health Insurance
- Life Insurance
- PERS Retirement
- Ten Paid Holidays
- Voluntary Supplemental Policies
- ETC.

# Hiring organization

Lifecore Health Group

## **Employment Type**

Full-time

### **Duration of employment**

Permanent

#### Industry

Health Care