



# Clinical Consultant

## Job Description

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A Clinical Consultant aids students with behavioral, mental, emotional or physical problems. Counsels students whose behavior, school progress, or mental or physical conditions indicates need for assistance. Clinical Consultant provides a link between home, school, and community. This service enables students and their families to overcome social and personal problems which impede learning. Clinical Consultant provides individual and group counseling, consultation to teachers, and other services which help students cope with their disabilities.

### Nature of Work

- Conduct interviews with students, family members, and school personnel to gather information required by a multidisciplinary team about a student's social, emotional, and behavioral adjustment to school and the community
- Assist students, teachers, and parents to develop solutions to family and community factors that influence a student's capacity or ability to learn
- Collaborate with education and social services professionals to develop appropriate agency services for students and their families
- Work with various school groups to develop coping, social, and decision making skills
- Participate on school teams developing policies and practices to prevent school violence and reduce the number of school dropouts
- Maintain and organize student information for filing and reporting purposes

### Education Required

- 1. A Master's degree from an accredited college;
- 2. Thirty semester-hour credits distributed within the following areas: psychology, special education, sociology, social case work, mental hygiene, medical information, communication, organization and public welfare services.
- 3. A Master's degree in social work from an accredited institution will be accepted as meeting the study requirements indicated in (2) above.

No state license as a social worker necessary.

### Personal Qualities

- Interest in, and dedication to youth
- Experience working in urban setting
- Collaborative
- Sensitive and responsive to the needs of others
- Resourceful
- Flexible
- Excellent written and oral communication skills
- Perseverance Job Outlook and Advancement

**Type:** Full time

**Rate:** \$25-\$28hr

A fingerprinting criminal background check is required.