



## Psychologist

### Job Description:

Assess, diagnose, and treat mental and emotional problems and the behavioral dysfunctions resulting from, or related to physical and mental health; promote healthy behavior, preventing diseases and improving patients' quality of life.

### Duties include but are not limited to:

- Administer standardized psychological test, interpret results, and develop comprehensive report to be shared with patients/families and/or community agencies as directed by the patient.
- Provide therapeutic psychosocial assessments of patient and families to identify emotional, social, and environmental strengths and problems related to their diagnosis, illness, treatment and/or life situation.
- Formulate, develop, and implement a comprehensive therapeutic treatment plan utilizing appropriate clinical social work treatments and interventions. Interventions may include crisis intervention, brief and long-term individual, marital and family and/or group therapies.
- Provide therapeutic crisis intervention and emergency services as required.
- Participate in clinical team meetings to present case histories; confer with internal and external members of therapy team to develop comprehensive evaluations or plan pertinent therapy programs to provide maximum benefits for each patient.
- Prepare and maintain a case record for each patient to describe the nature of the social problems and services suggested or provided
- Provide consultative services to health care team members within the scope of care definitions as needed.
- Document assessment, plan, interactions and interventions according to the Community Health Center of Fort Dodge, Inc.'s guidelines and standards.
- Maintain records and statistics in accordance as required by legal agencies and the Community Health Center of Fort Dodge, Inc.
- Assist with the implementation and sustaining of patient centered medical home status as needed.

### Qualifications:

- High school diploma or GED
- CPR Certification
- Work requires a Doctorate of Psychology, with emphasis in clinical and professional licensure in Iowa with three years of experience in a health care setting or social agency.