JOB DESCRIPTION

Position: Clinical Director
Reports to: Sr. Director
Location: Staten Island, NY
Program: Safe Way

Job Code: [Job code]
EEO:
FLSA: Non Exempt
Paygrade:

Summary:
Safe Horizon’s Family Focused Program provides comprehensive trauma-informed client-centered services to families who are affected by intimate partner violence and are involved in the child welfare system. Our goal is help those who have experienced physical, emotional or other forms of abuse to establish long-term safety and healing from the effects of trauma. Safe Horizon uses a client centered, trauma informed, anti-oppressive approach to supporting clients.

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Essential Job Functions:
The Clinical Director provides direct supervision to a team of Clinical Supervisors to provide an array of services to survivors of domestic violence, their children and the person causing harm (separately). Duties may include some or all of the following:

- With the Senior Director, inform and implement all program start-up activities including hiring program staff, developing staff training and team development plans, developing partnerships within Safe Horizon’s programs and the Administration for Children’s Services
- Inform and document FFP service and coordination protocols;
- Provide individual supervision (including trauma treatment, preventive, and administrative supervision) and group supervision to the Clinical Supervisors, in accordance with Safe Horizon’s supervision standards
- Conduct in-depth intake assessments with survivors and persons causing harm in the family to screen for mental health needs, safety issues, substance use
- Provide expert clinical consultation (with an emphasis on the dynamics and impact of IPV and child trauma) to the Clinical Supervisors and ACS partners, to ensure the response to children and families is well coordinated and provided in a child-focused, trauma-informed manner;
- Prepare for and facilitate case disposition meetings with support from the Deputy Director,
Working in close partnership with the team of Clinical Supervisors and ACS to coordinate service provision for children and families impacted by, domestic violence;
Develop and enhance preventive and trauma intervention services;
Facilitate and support clients in family team conferences
Ensure staffs’ timely and accurate entry of data into required data systems;
Review staff documentation of all relevant client information and timely documentation of supervisory notes
Attend trainings relevant to position, including learning and consultation on evidence-based treatment models
Coach and develop staff’s practice skills in accordance to Safe Horizon’s client centered, trauma informed, anti-racist approach
Actively participate in individual and group supervision; including conducting individual and group supervision for direct reports, in accordance with Safe Horizon’s quality supervision standards
Prepare for and participate in regularly scheduled FFP team case review meetings about new and on-going cases; where appropriate
Analyzing client data and making recommendations to the Senior Director for service delivery enhancements
Maintain open communication with supervisors and team members
Implement strategies for addressing personal and staff vicarious trauma
Model effective team-building, collaboration, conflict-resolution and problem-solving skills
Complete performance reviews for all direct reports in a timely manner that identify staff strengths, areas for growth and professional development commitments

Supervises: Clinical Supervisors

Required Skills:
- Sensitivity towards and understanding of victimization, especially the experience of survivors of domestic violence and all members of their families including the person causing harm in the family;
- Strong communication and organizational skills;
- Ability to work under pressure in a calm and reassuring manner;
- Basic understanding of computer and systems for managing case records
- Commitment to anti-racism work
- Strong leadership, organizational, team-building, conflict-resolution skills required.

Qualifications:
- An advanced degree (MSW or PhD) or related field required.
- Minimum 5 years clinical experience working with children and families and at least 2 years of clinical supervisory experience required and/or clinical supervision
- Prior experience working with children and families impacted by domestic violence, abuse and/or trauma
- Expertise in acute, trauma-focused, evidence-informed practices working with children and families impacted by abuse and trauma preferred;
- Ability to work evenings as needed and maintain a flexible work schedule
- Provide some on-call support
Strongly Preferred:

- Bilingual Spanish/English fluency
- Strong oral and written communication skills
- LCSW or comparable licensure preferred.
- Experience with family therapy or individual therapy preferred with survivors of domestic violence or persons causing harm in a trauma-informed setting;
- Knowledge of the New York City domestic violence service system, public benefits, child welfare, housing system and other social services.

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JOB DESCRIPTION

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Location: Safe Way Forward
Program: Safe Way Forward

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EEO: 
FLSA: Non Exempt
Paygrade: 

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Essential Job Functions:
The Clinical Supervisor provides direct supervision to a team of Case planners and Clinicians to provide an array of services to survivors of domestic violence, their children and the person causing harm (separately). Duties may include some or all of the following:

- Working in close partnership with the team of Family Support Team (including Case Planners, Clinicians, and Parent Coaches) and ACS to coordinate service provision for children and families impacted by, domestic violence;
- Assist the Clinical Director in developing and enhancing preventive and trauma intervention services;
- Work with Case Planner to develop treatment goals with clients and strategize how to support clients in achieving goals
- Facilitate and support clients in family team conferences
- Review and approve Family Assessment and Service Plan
- Administer trauma screenings and trauma assessments to children, survivors of domestic violence and/or persons causing harm in intimate partner relationships; when appropriate
- Conduct home visits with clients and their families, when appropriate.
- Ensure staffs’ timely and accurate entry of data into required data systems;
- Review staff documentation of all relevant client information and timely documentation of supervisory notes
- Attend trainings relevant to position, including learning and consultation on evidence-based treatment models

APPROVALS

Author Name & Title: ___________________________ 2nd Level Supervisor: ___________________________

Human Resources: ___________________________ Date: ___________________________
• Coach and develop staff’s practice skills in accordance to Safe Horizon’s client centered, trauma informed, anti-racist approach
• Actively participate in individual and group supervision; including conducting individual and group supervision for direct reports, in accordance with Safe Horizon’s quality supervision plan
• Prepare for and facilitate regularly scheduled FFP team case review meetings about new and on-going cases;
• Maintain open communication with supervisors and team members
• Collaborate with other service providers internally and externally as needed
• Implement strategies for addressing personal and staff vicarious trauma
• Complete performance reviews for all direct reports in a timely manner that identify staff strengths, areas for growth and professional development commitments

**Supervises:** Case Planners and Clinicians

**Required skills:**

• Sensitivity towards and understanding of victimization, especially the experience of survivors of domestic violence and all members of their families including the person causing harm in the family;
• Strong communication and organizational skills;
• Excellent interpersonal skills, be assertive and well organized;
• Ability to work under pressure in a calm and reassuring manner;
• Demonstrate the ability to work independently and also work on a team with an appreciation of different points of view
• Ability to work evenings as needed and maintain a flexible work schedule
• Strong oral and written communication skills

**Qualifications:**

• An advanced degree (MSW) or related field and two years of supervisory experience in social service and/or clinical supervision
• Prior experience working with children and families impacted by domestic violence, abuse and/or trauma
• Experience working with family involved in child welfare
• Provide some on-call support
• Basic understanding of computer and systems for managing case records

**Strongly Preferred:**

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• Experience with family therapy or individual therapy preferred with survivors of domestic violence or persons causing harm in a trauma-informed setting;
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Essential Job Functions:
The Family Trauma Clinician provides both practical trauma intervention and support to domestic violence survivors, their children and the person causing harm (separately). Duties may include some or all of the following:

- Administer trauma screenings and trauma assessments to children, survivors of domestic violence and/or persons causing harm in intimate partner relationships;
- Develop treatment goals with clients
- Engage clients and provide trauma-focused mental health treatment with fidelity to evidence-based models
- Provide evidence-based trauma-focused treatment through individual, dyadic, and group models
- Work in close partnership with FFP team members and ACS to coordinate service provision for children and families impacted by domestic violence;
- Conduct comprehensive assessments for survivors and/or persons causing harm and their families
- Provide crisis intervention and short- and long term trauma intervention for children, survivors of domestic violence and/or persons causing harm in intimate partner relationships
- Engage in safety assessment and risk management dialogues with clients to follow up on safety plan
- Conduct home visits with clients and their families.
- Participate and support clients in family team conferences
- Maintain clear, concise, and timely documentation with all relevant client information including data entry into a computerized record keeping system
• Attend trainings relevant to position, including learning and consultation on evidence-based treatment models
• Actively participate in individual and group supervision
• Prepare for and participate in regularly scheduled FFP team case review meetings about new and on-going cases;
• Maintain open communication with supervisors and team members
• Collaborate with other service providers internally and externally as needed
• Participate in the service team of clinicians and case planners responsible to maintain a mixed caseload of families (including survivors and their children and persons causing harm)
• Implement strategies for addressing vicarious trauma

Supervisory Reports: None

Required Skills:
• Sensitivity towards and understanding of victimization, especially the experience of survivors of domestic violence and all members of their families including the person causing harm in the family;
• Strong communication and organizational skills;
• Excellent interpersonal skills, be assertive and well organized;
• Ability to work under pressure in a calm and reassuring manner;
• Demonstrate the ability to work independently and also work on a team with an appreciation of different points of view
• Ability to work evenings as needed and maintain a flexible work schedule
• Strong oral and written communication skills

Qualifications:
• Basic understanding of computer and systems for managing case records
• An advanced degree (MSW) or related field.
• Prior experience working with children and families impacted by domestic violence, abuse and/or trauma.

Strongly Preferred:
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