

Program Counselor

Job Description

At Ransomed Life, exploited and "at-risk" youth and their families receive counseling services to equip and empower them for experiencing freedom and purpose. This position is for a part-time licensed clinician (Texas license) to provide individual, family, and group counseling to our participants as well as aid in the development and function of Ransomed Life mentors.

Program Counselor Responsibilities

- Provides hybrid (telehealth and in-person) counseling, psychoeducation, and appropriate to the position case management to clients in individual, family, and group therapeutic settings
- Provide crisis intervention through supportive care and/or referral for needs
- Develop and/or facilitate groups for participating adolescents, guardians, and Ransomed Life mentors as needed
- Maintain comprehensive HIPAA compliant counseling files, treatment plans, service activities, case notes, and electronic devices used for sending and/or receiving PHI of clients
- Utilize Commercial Sexual Exploitation Identification Tool along with other appropriate assessment tools for measuring clients needs or therapeutic services
- Create an anti-racist space for clients while incorporating multicultural competencies and awareness
- Collaborate with partnering agencies regarding the treatment, well-being, and functioning of assigned clients
- · Attend weekly and bi-weekly Ransomed Life staff meetings with indirect and direct care teams
- Participate in periodic meetings with Business Associates, internal and external trainings, and specialized court hearings as necessary
- Gather data for submitting quarterly reports
- Adhere to the guidelines as court mandated reporter while upholding ethical guidelines, federal privacy laws, and licensure laws
- Maintain flexibility as schedule may fluctuate with required participation for special events and clients in crisis
- Open HIPAA compliant communication with other Ransomed Life staff members and board of directors
- Reports to Director of Counseling
- Participate in annual evaluations conducted by Director of Counseling

Program Counselor Qualifications

- Master's degree in Counseling, Clinical Psychology, Social Work, Counseling Psychology, or other degree meeting eligibility requirement in Texas for licensure as LPC (LPC-Associate), LCSW, or LMFT
- · Licensed in the state of Texas as a LPC, LPC-Associate, LCSW, or LMFT
- At least two-year's experience working with sexual abuse victims and domestic violence
- Clinician will have experience conducting family and group psychoeducation and/or therapy sessions
- Effectively communicate in oral and written form
- Able to adapt to changing work priorities with frequent interruptions
- Training and experience in evidence-based trauma therapies such as TF-CBT, DBT, and TBRI



- Has a good understanding of the dynamics of sexual exploitation on youth and risk factors for youth
- Recommended experience:
 - Bilingual in Spanish both orally and written
 - Certificate for Certified Clinical Telemental Health Provider

Benefits

- Competitive salary based on experience
- Supervision by Director of Counseling
- Ransomed Life will provide a laptop and work phone
- Access to professional training focused on DMST
- Equip youth to find freedom and purpose