

**SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Position Description**

TITLE:	Clinician, Psychologist/Social Worker	CLASSIFICATION:	Certificated Non-Management (SCTA)
SERIES:	Clinician	FLSA:	Exempt
JOB CLASS CODE:	3500	WORK YEAR:	198 Days
DEPARTMENT:	Community, Health, and Student Support Services	SALARY:	Psychologists Salary Schedule S
REPORTS TO:	Assigned Supervisor	BOARD APPROVAL:	08-16-07
		BOARD REVISION:	03-27-08

BASIC FUNCTION:

Responsible for assessing and treating mental health issues in children using a wide range of therapeutic interventions; provide leadership and training to the school and mental health team.

REPRESENTATIVE DUTIES: (Incumbents may perform any combination of the essential functions shown below [E]. This position description is not intended to be an exhaustive list of all duties, knowledge, or abilities associated with this classification, but is intended to accurately reflect the principle job elements.)

1. Provide individual, family, and group psychotherapy. **E**
2. Provide assessment and diagnosis of mental health disorders; in conjunction with supervisors and clients, make decisions regarding treatment methodology. **E**
3. Maintain appropriate records, collect data, and prepare written reports as required. **E**
4. Maintain ongoing communication with school/district staff and participate in a variety of school meetings, as needed. **E**
5. Provide service coordination to connect students/families with school and community resources. **E**
6. Make home visits to engage students and family members as needed; make visits to schools and community agencies as needed to meet with students and strengthen collaborative service efforts. **E**

TRAINING, EDUCATION, AND EXPERIENCE:

Master's degree in social work, counseling, or clinical psychology from an accredited university, and a minimum of two or more years of full-time supervised, post-license experience providing psychotherapy to children and/or adolescents is required. Advanced clinical training and/or specialization in one of the following areas is preferred: play therapy, family therapy, expressive arts therapies, or cognitive-behavioral therapy. Advanced degrees are preferred.

LICENSES AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS:

Valid California driver’s license, and provide personal automobile. Possession of a California Credential with Specialization in Pupil Personnel Services (Counseling, Psychology, or Social Worker) preferred. Licensed by the State of California as a Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW), Marriage and Family Therapist (MFT), or Licensed Psychologist (PSY). Specific languages and District Primary Language Assessment may be required. Must be available to work at least two evenings per week or on Saturdays.

WORKING CONDITIONS:

SAMPLE ENVIRONMENT:

Office or homes of families; drive a vehicle to conduct work.

SAMPLE PHYSICAL ABILITIES:

Hear and speak to make presentations, and exchange information in person and on the telephone; dexterity of hands and fingers to operate a computer keyboard; see to read and prepare documents and reports, and view a computer monitor; sit or stand for extended periods of time; bend at the waist, reach overhead, above the shoulders, and horizontally to retrieve and store files; lift light objects. Physical, mental, and emotional stamina to endure long hours under sometimes stressful conditions.

SAMPLE HAZARDS:

In conformance with the contract, may conduct home visits in high crime and gang-affiliated homes and communities; contact with dissatisfied, hostile, volatile, mentally ill, or under the influence individuals at their homes while on home visits; may risk exposure to communicable diseases, home environments that are not clean or safe, and personal safety hazards.

APPROVALS:

Carol Mignone Stephen, Associate Superintendent, Human Resource Services

Date

M. Magdalena Carrillo Mejia, Ph.D., Superintendent

Date