UNIVERSITY of **HOUSTON** GRADUATE COLLEGE of SOCIAL WORK

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Job Title	LCSW
Employer/ Agency	Memorial Hermann Southwest
Job Description	The Licensed Clinical Social Worker systematically intervenes to provide clinical social work and complex discharge planning to patients and their families who have psychosocial needs, require assistance with eligibility determination for social programs and funding sources, and qualify for community assistance from variety of special funds and agencies. In addition, offer crisis intervention and/or mental health assessment to patients and families with psychosocial needs and coordinates and facilitates the development of a multidisciplinary discharge plan for the care of high-risk patient populations.
	 PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTABILITIES Assesses patient's and family's psychosocial risk factors through evaluation of prior functioning levels, appropriateness and adequacy of support systems, reaction to illness and ability to cope. As part of a multidisciplinary team, develop and carry out a treatment plan by the use of a clinical social work diagnoses, assessments, and treatment interventions. Intervenes with patients and families regarding emotional, social, and financial consequences of illness and/or disability; accesses and mobilizes family/community resources to meet identified needs. This may include short term individual, marital and family therapies as well a crisis intervention. Provides intervention in cases involving child abuse/neglect, domestic violence, guardianship (temporary/ permanent), institutional abuse, fost care, adoption, mental health placement, advance directives, adult/elder abuse, child protection and sexual assault. Serves as a resource person and provides counseling and intervention related to treatment decisions and end-of-life issues. Participates in discharge planning activities for complex patients, in ord to ensure a timely discharge and to provide appropriate linkage with pos discharge care providers. Communicates with the clinical and case management team members regarding the discharge planning status of all patients referred by them. Provides consultation to clinical and case management team members when coordination with significant or intensive community resources is necessary to achieve desired treatment outcomes. Receives referrals for complex patient problem resolution from clinical and case management team members. Works in collaboration with the clinical and case management team members members on transition planning and referrals to post acute car
	 providers. Validates discharge criteria for patient and families and notifies Case Managers of newly-identified resources or change in previously- identified resources. Educates patient/family and physician regarding post-acute options and addresses issues of choice. Provides direct supervision of baccalaureate social workers, and MSWs

	with less than 3 years of hospital experience. Provides mentorship to all levels of social work in current social trends and practice.
	 Provides direct supervision to all on campus social work students conforming to each university's and Memorial Hermann educational standards.
	• Ensures safe care to patients, staff and visitors; adheres to all Memorial Hermann policies, procedures, and standards within budgetary specifications
	• Promotes individual professional growth and development.
Qualifications	Job Description <u>MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS</u> Education: Graduate of an accredited masters of social work program (MSW) Experience: Three (3) years' healthcare social work experience required. Acute inpatient hospital social work experience preferred. Licenses/Certifications: Current license as a Clinical Social Worker (LCSW) in the state of Texas required. ACM certification from American Case Managemen Association (ACMA) preferred.
	 Knowledge/Skills: Working knowledge of DSM V and ICD-10 manuals. Demonstrates advanced knowledge and skill in social work assessment and treatment of patients for mental health status and substance abuse screening. Excellent therapeutic communication and negotiation skills in interactions with patients, families, physicians and health care team colleagues. Working knowledge and/or experience in utilization management, managed care, and payor issues. Exposure and/or experience in ambulatory and post-acute care, as well as, community resources.
Salary/Hours	Part Time, DOE
Address	7600 Beechnut Street Houston,TX 77074
Application Method	https://jobs.memorialhermann.org/job/houston/social-worker-licensed- clinical/5358/9488368
Opening Date	Immediately

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