### Job Title
Licensed Therapist/Social Worker

### Employer/ Agency
Northwest Assistance Ministries – Family Violence Center

### Job Description
The Licensed Therapist/Social Worker is responsible for providing therapeutic services to adult survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault. The position will also supervise contract therapists who provide therapeutic services to children, adolescents, and Spanish-speaking clients. The Licensed Therapist/Social Worker serves as the site supervisor for non-medical internships. Position will be responsible for professionally interfacing with NAM staff, volunteers, clients, interns, community partners, as well as the FVC team.

**Description:**
- Work with adults/adolescents/child victims of family violence and sexual assault in individual, family, or group therapy
- Supervision of contract therapists and therapist interns
- Participate in case staffing/assessments meetings necessary to determine a client’s eligibility for therapy services
- Availability to serve as the crisis intervention specialist, as needed, throughout NAM
- Oversee the storage, maintenance, ordering, and inventory of all therapeutic supplies
- Serve as site supervisor for social work, human service, and counseling student interns assigned to NAM
- Develop working relationships with local institutions of higher learning to develop NAM’s internship program
- Maintain regular communication with FVC Director regarding programming needs
- Provide back-up support to the FVC Hotline to provide telephone crisis counseling, crisis intervention, client assessment, and community referrals, as appropriate
- Periodic coverage of the FVC after-hours, on-call cell phone to provide telephone crisis counseling, crisis intervention, client assessment, and community referrals, as appropriate
- Participate in the monthly review of assigned client files with case managers and volunteers, and interns; including review of file contents, service eligibility, client safety, client goals, and referrals
- Staffing client concerns with Key Staff (DV Services Coordinator, SA Services Coordinator, or FVC Director) including the definition of problems, eligibility for services, and identifying appropriate referrals
- Ensuring and protecting client confidentiality
- Produce statistical and narrative reports, as required by NAM, FVC or funders
- Operating within budgetary guidelines and in compliance with grant funding
- Develop working relationships internally and with external agencies
- Facilitate data entry in NAM’s database(s) and checking accuracy
- Assist in the training of new staff, volunteers, and student interns
- Attend NAM and FVC staff meetings, staff events, community events,
and fundraising activities as scheduled
- Flexible work hours as needed to promote FVC’s mission
Other duties may be assigned.

**Supervisory Responsibilities:**
The FVC Licensed Therapist/Social Worker is responsible for the direct supervision of contract therapists and intern therapists. This responsibility includes, but it not limited, to FVC orientation, review of FVC standards and documentation, monthly file processing, and review therapeutic interventions. Staff Therapist is also responsible for processing of contract therapy invoices and monitoring of related grant budgets.

**Qualifications**
- LCSW licensing is required, plus four to ten years related experience and/or training. Proof of the current State of Texas licensure is a requirement.
- Prior experience working with victims/survivors of domestic violence and/or sexual assault is required.
- Must provide copies of the current State of Texas Licensure in the counseling field and maintain liability/malpractice insurance annually. Must have dependable transportation.

**Computer Skills:**
- Database Software - familiar
- Internet Software - familiar
- Spreadsheet Software (Excel) - required
- Word Processing Software (Word) - required
- “Microsoft Office” - required

**Salary/Hours**
- Full-time Salaried, $55,000 annually

**Employer/Agency**
- Northwest Assistance Ministries

**Address**
- 15555Kukendahl Rd.

**City, State, Zip**
- Houston, TX 77090

**Application Method**
For consideration, please email your cover letter and resume as an attachment to resumes@namonline.org with the job title “Licensed Therapist/Social Worker” in the subject line.

**Opening Date**
- Immediate

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