

<b>Job Title</b>	Therapist - FFT
<b>Employer/ Agency</b>	Harris County – Juvenile Probation Department
<b>Job Description</b>	<p>The Therapist- FFT is responsible for engaging key family participants in active change-oriented treatment by focusing on engagement, motivation, relational assessment, behavior change and generalization.</p> <p><b><u>Duties and Responsibilities:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Actively participates in Functional Family Therapy (FFT) training, supervision and consultation activities.</li> <li>• Maintains clear and concise documentation of treatment efforts that promote peer and supervisory review and feedback, and that demonstrates compliance with the FFT Principles.</li> <li>• Assists families by referring them to appropriate services and supports to include both clinical and concrete services.</li> <li>• Collaborates with other service providers, public agencies, and key members of each families' support system.</li> <li>• Assists administrative staff in collection of information for program effectiveness.</li> <li>• Performs other duties as assigned.</li> </ul> <p><b>Position will require working with dangerous/aggressive youths; should possess a high tolerance for working in an emotionally demanding/stressful work environment.</b></p>
<b>Qualifications</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Masters of Science (MS) / Masters of Arts (MA) from an accredited college or university in clinical or counseling psychology, social work, and/or marriage and family therapy; <b><i>and</i></b></li> <li>• Valid driver's license (Texas Upon Hire).</li> <li>• Must possess and maintain liability insurance, in at least the minimum amounts required by law.</li> <li>• Must be at least 21 years of age.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>PLUS</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Two (2) years of post-graduate experience working in a clinical setting (At least one (1) year includes working with families).</li> <li>• Applicants may substitute <u>one (1) year</u> of post master's clinical experience <u>with a minimum of two (2) semesters</u> of internship in the Psychological and Social Services Unit of Harris County Juvenile Probation or in Harris County Children's Forensic Unit.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Additional Requirements:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Every employee is subject to random testing for drug and alcohol or if there is a reasonable suspicion to believe that the employee is under the influence of a substance prohibited by this policy while in the course and scope of employment.</li> <li>• All new employees are required to undergo and pass a physical examination administered by the Department Approved Contract</li> </ul>

	<p>Physician. At the time of the physical, applicants must present evidence of a tuberculosis (TB) skin test. In the event of a positive test, the applicant will be required to provide additional documentation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Upon receiving a conditional job offer, every applicant undergoes a criminal background check, drug screening, an achievement test, and psychological and physical examinations.</li> <li>• If public emergency is declared by county, staff could be assigned to other duties and/or facilities and/or under the supervision of another county department.</li> </ul> <p><b>Certified copies of transcripts of educational credentials and/or college credits will be required during hiring process.</b></p> <p><b>NOTE:</b> To qualify for this position, required education, experience, knowledge and skills must be clearly stated on your application's employment history. Resumes are welcome, but <b>we do not use</b> any information provided on your resume to qualify and refer you to the Hiring Department for consideration.</p> <p><b>Preferences</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bilingual in English / Spanish.</li> </ul> <p><i>*Due to the COVID-19 restrictions, the therapists are providing family therapy on a weekly basis via <b>Tele-Therapy conferencing</b>; once the County lift restrictions, the family therapy will take place at the family's residence and/or HCJPD office.</i></p>
<b>Salary/Hours</b>	\$26.74 - \$32.56 Hourly, Grant-Funded Full-Time
<b>Employer/Agency</b>	Harris County – Juvenile Probation Department
<b>City, State, Zip</b>	Houston, TX
<b>Email Address</b>	If you need special services or accommodations, please call (713) 274-5445 or email <a href="mailto:ADACoordinator@bmd.hctx.net">ADACoordinator@bmd.hctx.net</a>
<b>Application Method</b>	<a href="https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/harriscountytx/jobs/2674875/therapist-fft">https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/harriscountytx/jobs/2674875/therapist-fft</a>
<b>Opening Date</b>	Immediate, closing 6/4/20

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