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| <b>Job Title</b>        | Medical Social Worker  |
| <b>Employer/ Agency</b> | Texas Children's Hospital—Medical Center   |
| <b>Job Description</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Facilitates patients/families use of community resources</li> <li>• Actively participates in providers' conferences to identify and respond to the psychosocial needs of the patients/families and to provide psychosocial information pertinent to formulating care plans</li> <li>• Delivers appropriate, focused patient/family counseling in accordance with the patient's/family's right to self-determination and principles of confidentiality</li> <li>• Utilizes quality improvement process to identify improvement opportunities and establish/assess/evaluate programs and services and their outcomes</li> <li>• Educates self by reading professional literature and attending staff development and continuing education program as evidenced by attendance and CEU records</li> <li>• Provides psychosocial screenings/assessments by interviewing patients and/or their families for information about the patients' social, emotional/psychological, developmental/educational/vocational, environmental, financial and health situations, within authorization periods, as required for patient care and/or treatment/transitional planning</li> <li>• Develops, implements and/or updates comprehensive pediatric social work care plans</li> </ul> |
| <b>Qualifications</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Master's degree in social work from an accredited school of social work</li> <li>• Licensure as Social Worker in the State of Texas</li> <li>• Previous employment in health care, a health care specialization in schooling or a field work practicum in health care preferred</li> <li>• Ability to create a thorough psychosocial assessment and develop, implement and evaluate a care plan</li> <li>• Ability to conceptualize the psychosocial needs presented by the assigned patient population, to intervene with patient/family behavior, to coordinate community resources and to handle crisis and complex psychosocial situations</li> <li>• Ability to handle grief</li> <li>• Demonstrate initiative, good judgment and problem-solving skills</li> <li>• Ability to demonstrate excellent professional listening and communication skills</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Salary/Hours</b>     | Salary depending on experience<br>Day Shift PRN  |
| <b>Employer/Agency</b>  | Texas Children's Hospital  |

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| <b>Application Method</b> | Apply at: <a href="http://texaschildrenspeople.org/career_search/">http://texaschildrenspeople.org/career_search/</a> |
| <b>Opening Date</b>       | 06/04/2021  |

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