



Child & Family Therapist
Status: Full-Time / Salaried / Exempt
Supervisor: Director of Clinical Services

Under the supervision of the Director of Clinical Services, the Child and Family Therapist will provide individual, family, and group therapy to child victims of abuse and their non-offending caregivers and other family members, using evidence-based treatment modalities, including Trauma Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (TF-CBT). Evening hours may be required once a week or as necessary.

Bilingual fluency in Spanish and English is preferred.

ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS

Counseling

- Provide clinical assessment of child victims and non-offending family members.
- Provide individual, family, and group counseling to child victims and non-offending family members using evidence-based treatment modalities, including TF-CBT.
- Complete individualized treatment plans.
- Measure treatment progress by assessing improvement on clinical assessment tools.
- Document session notes in client chart, provide written reports as appropriate, and enter service data in a database.
- Provide crisis intervention for clients receiving other primary services of the Center.
- Prepare child victims and witnesses for court.
- Provide witness testimony in court, if requested.

Additional Duties

- Participate in monthly Multidisciplinary Team (MDT) staffing.
- Maintain current training and information on evidence-based treatment modalities for child abuse victims and their family members.
- Attend trainings as directed by Director of Clinical Services.
- Provide content and assistance for program-related funding applications.
- Participate in weekly clinical peer review.
- Participate in agency activities and events.
- Perform other duties as assigned.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS AND SKILLS

- Master's degree in mental health field (Counseling, Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy)
- State of Texas full and independent licensure to practice – Licensed Professional Counselor; (LPC); Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist (LMFT); Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW)
OR Provisional licensure, such as LPC-Associate, LMFT-Associate, LMSW
- Minimum of three years combined professional experience working with child abuse victims and families, providing individual, family, group therapy, or other evidence-based treatment modalities, including TF-CBT
- Working knowledge of the dynamics of sexual abuse and trauma
- Strong written and verbal communication skills
- Strong organizational skills
- Must be comfortable in presenting information and developing community relationships

- Must be a strong team player
- Must be able to pass criminal and CPS background checks, as well as the National Sex Offender Public Website registry
- Must also have reliable transportation and possess a valid Texas Driver's License that meets the Center's insurance company's requirement for coverage
- **Physical Requirements:**
 - o Must be mobile and able to bend, stoop, reach, and moderately lift (up to 30 pounds).
 - o Must be able to sit or stand at a workstation and/or a computer screen for up to 2 hours at a time.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS AND SKILLS

- Experience in using play therapy
- Knowledge and practice in Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (TF-CBT)
- ***Bilingual fluency in Spanish and English is not required but is a definite plus.***

This is a grant-funded position that is expected to be ongoing.

Application Instructions: Email cover letter with salary requirements and resume with the subject line of **“Child & Family Therapist”** to wccacinfo@wilcocactx.org.