



## Intensive In-home Counselor

Intensive in-home services (IIH) for children and adolescents under age 21 shall be time-limited interventions provided in the individual's residence and when clinically necessary in community settings. Intensive in-home services (IIH) shall be designed to specifically improve family dynamics, provide modeling, and the clinically necessary interventions that increase functional and therapeutic interpersonal relations between family members in the home. IIH services are designed to promote psychoeducational benefits in the home setting of an individual who is at risk of being

moved into an out-of-home placement or who is being transitioned to home from an out-of-home placement due to a documented medical need of the individual. At least one parent/legal guardian or responsible adult with whom the individual is living must be willing to participate in the intensive in-home services with the goal of keeping the individual with the family.

**Immediate Supervisor:** Program Director

**Education:** Intensive In-home Counselor shall have a Bachelor's Degree in the human services field, or 122 hours of college credits and one-year of experience working with children with mental health diagnoses in a clinical setting. Applicant must have a valid driver's license, and automobile liability insurance that meets minimum agency requirements.

### Responsibilities

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◆ In-home counselor will provide direct support, coaching and education services to identified clients and their families.</li><li>◆ In-home counselor will complete ISP's, monthly, quarterly reports.</li><li>◆ In-home counselor will assist in planning of services</li><li>◆ In-home counselor will provide parent education and support.</li><li>◆ In-home counselor will model and teach problem-solving techniques.</li><li>◆ In-home counselor will conduct psycho-educational sessions to enhance one's functioning.</li><li>◆ In-home counselor will provide linkage to community-based services and supports; provides advocacy and support for family with these services.</li><li>◆ In-home counselor will coordinate scheduling of appointments, as needed.</li><li>◆ In-home counselor will coordinate and provide transportation, as needed.</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◆ In-home counselor will be available for 24-hour crisis intervention and family support.</li><li>◆ In-home counselor will be responsible for the proper and timely documentation.</li><li>◆ In-home counselor will maintain regular and ongoing contact with referring agencies, as well as other agencies involved in client's case.</li><li>◆ In-home counselor will actively coordinate and plan discharge and aftercare plans with referring agency.</li><li>◆ In-home counselor will attend interagency meetings, as necessary.</li><li>◆ In-home counselor will attend and participate in team meetings.</li><li>◆ In-home counselor will attend and participate in orientation, in-service training, and conferences as scheduled.</li><li>◆ In-home counselor will attend supervision.</li><li>◆ In-home counselor will perform other duties as assigned.</li></ul> |
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### Qualifications

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◆ Knowledge of in-home counseling and techniques.</li><li>◆ Knowledge of community base services and case management.</li><li>◆ Knowledge of DSM IV-R (diagnoses).</li><li>◆ Knowledge of medication treatment.</li><li>◆ Knowledge of supervision, leadership and management.</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◆ Knowledge of licensing and human rights regulations.</li><li>◆ Knowledge of effective interviewing skills.</li><li>◆ Successful completion of criminal background checks.</li><li>◆ Successful completion of Behavioral Management techniques</li><li>◆ Successful completion of CPR and First Aid</li></ul> |
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