REGIONAL CENTER OF THE EAST BAY JOB DESCRIPTION

POSITION TITLE: Complex Needs Case Manager (Bilingual Preferred – ANY Language)

SALARY (Step 1): \$2,454.82 Bi-weekly Bilingual Rate: \$2,539.82 Bi-weekly

\$63,825.32 Annual Bilingual Rate: \$66,035.32 Annual

REPORTS TO: Manager, Specialized Services and Supports (CPP/CRDP)

LOCATION: San Leandro/Concord

SPECIFIC DUTIES:

Under general direction of the Supervisor, is responsible for the case management services offered to Consumers and their families on a specialized caseload for "consumers with complex needs" created pursuant to Welfare & Institutions Code (WIC) 4640.6.

- 1. Facilitate the planning process and develop the Individual Program Plan (IPP) for assigned Consumers and oversee the implementation of the IPP. Monitor and evaluate the services provided through the plan.
- 2. Coordinate and support the implementation of the Consumers plan which may include identifying natural supports and generic services and evaluating when a need exists that can only be met through RCEB authorized funding.
- 3. Advocate on behalf of consumers to protect their rights under the law and ensure that they receive those services and benefits to which they are entitled.
- 4. Assist the consumer and family in obtaining essential diagnosis and evaluation from appropriate practitioners and secure written reports and other information which assesses and interprets the consumer's situation.
- 5. Monitor the consumer's health and safety.
- 6. Maintain all documentation and contacts as required by law, regulation and policy.
- 7. Implement RCEB policies and procedures.
- 8. Complete, in a timely manner, functional and/or developmental reviews.
- 9. Keep supervisor informed of the status of the case load and unmet needs in the community.
- 10. Prepare reports to the court (PC Section 1370 and Welfare And Institutions Code 6500) and attend applicable court hearings. Interface with courts and client's legal representatives.
- 11. Complete Comprehensive Assessments as per Department of Developmental Services guidelines and Lanterman Act.
- 12. Monitor and assist clients in transition from Institutions of Mental Disease (IMD), Stabilization Training Assistance Reintegration facilities (STAR), and/or jails.
- 13. Participate in meetings with Department of Developmental Services to provide updates in regards to client transitions from IMD/ STAR

DESIRABLE SKILLS:

- 1. Ability to prioritize and organize work efficiently to meet deadlines.
- 2. Ability to organize information for verbal and written presentation/documentation.
- 3. Excellent interview and listening skills.
- 4. Excellent assessment/diagnostic skills.

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MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Bachelor of Arts Degree in Social Work, Psychology or related human services field and a minimum of 5 years' experience working at a Regional Center.

<u>Or</u>

- 2. Masters of Arts Degree in Social Work, Psychology or related human services field and a minimum of 3 years' experience working at a Regional Center.
- 3. Ability to communicate clearly and effectively, verbally and in writing.
- 4. Automobile and valid driver's license required.
- 5. Demonstrate cultural awareness and sensitivity and an ability to work effectively with culturally diverse populations.