



Licensed Professional Counselor Registered Play Therapist

Department: The Carruth Center

Time Commitment: Full-Time

Position Overview

Provide individual, group, and family therapy services to clients of the Carruth Center. This position is part of a professional therapy services team and collaborates heavily with other mental health clinicians, speech-language pathologists, occupational therapist, neuropsychologists, teachers, and outside professionals.

Responsibilities

- Conducts initial evaluative assessments and develops treatment plans.
- Provides psychotherapy to children and families whom present with a wide variety of presenting concerns (e.g., ADHD, behavioral disorders, mood disorders, developmental disorders, neurological disorders, environmental and family disturbances, psychological issues related to pediatric health issues, and trauma/abuse.)
- Provides parent consultations regularly and family sessions when appropriate.
- Understands, implements and advocates for Child-Centered Play Therapy practices as well as Implements other evidenced-based therapeutic theories and models (e.g., attachment theory, CBT, CPRT, etc.)
- Consults with and provides feedback to referring providers in a timely manner.
- Uses electronic health records for documentation of all sessions in compliance with HIPPA and Carruth Center policies and procedures.
- Attends behavioral health services team meetings.
- Collaborates with school personnel and outside professionals in relation to active cases as well as an ambassador for Play Therapy as related to the TPS/CC mission.
- Observes and provides consultation feedback semiannually for school classroom.
- Attends the school's parent conference as member of the professional services team.
- Markets mental health services to the community.
- Participates in clinic and school-based education and social activities.

Qualifications

- Graduate degree in mental health and active Texas license for LPC or LCSW credential
- Play therapy training required. Fully credentialed as a Registered Play Therapist (RPT) or actively in supervision to obtain RPT.
- Minimum three years of experience working with pediatric clients and their families.
- Strong theoretical orientation grounding one's practice.
 - Strong grasp and utility of Child-Centered Therapy theory and practice
 - Strong grasp and utility of Family/Systemic Therapy theory and practice
- Training and grasp of social skills and/or group therapy.
- Strong sense of ethics and understanding of licensure requirements



How to Apply

Please submit your resume, cover letter and application (found at www.carruthcenter.org/about/employment) to humanresources@parishschool.org.

About The Carruth Center

The Carruth Center offers a full array of assessment and therapeutic services to families throughout the greater Houston area that includes speech therapy, occupational therapy, music therapy, mental health services and developmental assessments.

The Carruth Center at The Parish School is an equal opportunity employer and does not discriminate on the basis of age, race, gender or religious affiliation.