

# Chemical Dependency Counselor



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## Job Preferences:

Desired job title:	Chemical Dependency Counselor
Desired occupation:	Mental Health and Substance Abuse Social Workers
Employment type:	Full time
Career status:	Active job seeker
Available to start:	03/2021

## Education:

INTERCOAST COLLEGE GRADUATE-FALL

## Work Experience:

01/2013 – Present	<p>CADC I MEDMARK</p> <p>Worked as a Substance Abuse Counselor/ Case Management. 46 Patient Caseload. Intakes, ASI, ASAM, SUDS CARF TRAINED. TITLE 9. TELE APPT AND FACE TI FACE SESSIONS.</p>
03/2015 – 11/2017	<p>Group Facilitator/Counselor/Case Manager HERNDON RECOVERY CENTER Case Manager, Management/Manager</p> <p>Duties consist of Tx Planning, Intakes, Assessments In addition to facilitating Treatment, Education and Process Groups. One on One's, Family con-joint counseling. Trained and adept at Utilization/Concurrent Review and Billing. Presently in charge of running the Intensive Out-Patient Program for the Fresno location. ASI's, ASAM's, Crisis Intervention, Referrals, Reports and Record Keeping, Consultations with other Clinicians. Collect Baseline Data and link client with community resources.</p>
09/2014 – 03/2015	<p>counselor/case manager GATEWAY-POSITION TITILE-COUNSELOR- CADC- CAS</p>

Case Manager, Management/Manager

Facilitate groups (Process, Educational, Supplemental), Progress Reports, Cal-Ohms, Treatment Plans. Work closely with CPS case workers, Probation/Parole, STARS and other agencies to coordinate quality of care. Receive, count, log and audit client medications. Exit plans and Transitional Planning after discharge from program. Other duties as required.

10/2010 – 10/2011

#### COUNSELOR/CADCA-CADC

##### TREATMET ASSOCIATES

As a counselor for Treatment Associates, maintained a case load of up to 70 patients providing Individual counseling services to those in opiate replacement treatment program; occasionally upon the patient's request, con joint and family counseling sessions were conducted as needed. Duties included completing initial intake process and treatment plan for all patients assigned to my case load as well as providing chemical dependency education and linking patients with community resources that match their needs. Maintained all paperwork in a timely manner to insure state and federal compliance (PROGRESS REPORTS,ASAM"S, TX PLAN'S, ASI'S, INTERPERATIVE SUMMARIES, RELEASE OF INFORMATION, ETC) Launched and maintained the clinic's first successful group's and work shop's utilizing the Matrix series; facilitated groups on stimulant abuse, anger management, relapse prevention, early recovery skills as well as general process groups; utilized and monitored successful, abstinent patient's to co facilitate patient led groups. Subsequently voted employee of the quarter due to the success of the groups (ua's were tracked and pt's who participated stayed negative) and consistently being top billing counselor, nationwide. Processed pt urine samples per state lab guidelines on a random basis or when a patient was suspected to be under the influence. Assessed and referred patients as needed; Met with treatment team on a weekly basis to ensure quality of patient care and case compliance; also worked with other clinicians in regards to patient treatment for issues outside of scope of practice; other duties as required.

01/2010 – 07/2010

#### CASE MANAGER/COUNSELOR [RRW]

##### HOUSE OF HOPE

Case Manager, Management/Manager

Provided initial screening, assessment, and orientation of all new clients. Provided client's with treatment plans, referrals and consultations as needed. Followed up on referrals and consults to support services, community resources and/or other clinicians, to ensure continuity of client care. Provided crisis intervention and client education as needed. Supervised 3 transitional houses with a total of 15/20 clients consisting of men, women, and families from varying cultural, social, economic, and educational backgrounds. Facilitated two groups [one "educational", one "process"] a week for all three houses for a total of six group counseling sessions in addition to meeting with each client at least once a week. Accompanied clients to court and/or other hearings or appointments relevant to the treatment process. Conducted monthly random UA's of all my clients. Provided them with relapse prevention counseling as needed. Created a "behavioral contract" for House of Hope to document and hopefully deter negative and self destructive behavior. Participated in agency meetings, interventions, and consultations as required.



#### Language Skills:

n/a:

English



#### Skills:

n/a:	CAS, reliable, team player, efficient, motivated, punctual, ADAPTIVE, honest, Loyal, SELF-SUFFICIENT
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