



Programs of the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf

POSITION TITLE:

Children's Center School Counselor (7:50 AM-3:10 PM M-Th, 7:50 AM-2:00 PM F)

REPORTS TO:

Children's Center Coordinator

LOCATION:

300 E Swissvale Ave, Pittsburgh, PA 15218

JOB DESCRIPTION:

This is a full-time, exempt, 187-day position. Responsibilities include coordinating the design, implementation and monitoring of behavioral intervention plans to meet the needs of the students, leads the implementation of Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS), participates in interdisciplinary team meetings, individual dormitory meetings, parent conferences, academic teacher's meetings, IEP meetings, and others as needed, provides individual and group counseling to students when appropriate, monitors student's performance and behavior through data collection, provision and documentation of appropriate interventions and makes recommendations to the classroom teachers, residential supervisors and the interdisciplinary team. Provides training and consultation to academic and residential staff as it pertains to behavior management, social-emotional and intellectual development of the child and adolescent, effective techniques for communicating with parents, various intervention techniques and other related areas.

QUALIFICATIONS:

The individual must complete a program of education which includes a Master's degree in Psychology or Counseling. PDE certification in School Counseling or School Psychology or willingness to obtain certification.

SIGNING REQUIREMENTS:

The Sign Language Proficiency Interview for the position is "Advanced." The minimum level accepted at hire is "Intermediate."

CLEARANCES REQUIRED:

PA Criminal Background, PA Child Abuse, and FBI Clearance required. Physical, TB and Drug Screen also required.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

Send letter of application and resume to:

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