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SPORT PSYCHOLOGIST JOB POSTING – Oct 2019

Texas Optimal Performance & Psychological Services (TOPPS) is looking to hire a Clinical Sport Psychologist to help grow our private practice in Austin, Texas. We are a small group practice with 4 psychologists on staff, who help clients with mental health, as well as performance-based needs. Currently, we are looking for a licensed doctoral level psychologist or a postdoc who is collecting clinical hours to get licensed as a psychologist. In addition to having clinical or counseling training at the doctoral level, the candidate must also have certification through the Association for Applied Sport Psychology (AASP) or be in a position to be a Certified Mental Performance Consultant (CMPC). Supervision for CMPC hours can be completed while working at TOPPS through one of our psychologists. Prefer individuals who are interested a full-time position, but willing to consider part-time applicants.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Doctoral degree in Clinical or Counseling Psychology (Psy.D., or Ph.D.)
- Active psychological license (or License eligible within a year of hiring) in the State of Texas
- Current certification as a Sports Psychologist preferred or specialized training in sport psychology and/or AASP certification
- Experience in conducting psychotherapy with a diverse population of client, including adolescents and adults; crisis work, psychological evaluations, consultations, group therapy, outreach/prevention services, and writing timely psychological notes and reports
- Relational competency demonstrated by knowledge and experience with understanding and effectively communicating with individuals and groups from diverse backgrounds and cultures
- Flexible work schedule required due to occasional evening and weekend hours, as well as local travel to teams and businesses

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Provide individual therapy for mental health related concerns, as well as sport/performance enhancement for adolescents and adults
- Provide group-based psychoeducation and development for sports teams and businesses interested in performance enhancement techniques
- Developing personalized strategies for individuals and groups to improve adaptation and resiliency
- Design and implement programs to include comprehensive psychological assessment, testing, and monitoring strategies, and training techniques to enhance psychological skills and functioning in competitive environments
- Develop customized individual and team strategies for strengthening personal and professional growth among players, coaches, and leadership relevant to achieving and sustaining elite performance across diverse settings