

POSITION: Direct Care Staff - ICF/DD-H Homes

(Intermediate Care Facility/ Developmentally Disabled Habilitative)

SUPERVISOR: Program Supervisor / QIDP

STATUS: Non-Exempt

The ICF/DD-H Homes are ambulatory and non-ambulatory 6 bed care homes in a residential setting. The homes are Licensed by the Department of Health Services and designed to provide 24 hour care, supervision and support to individuals who have a recurring but intermittent need for nursing services. The program emphasizes active treatment, specifically related to ADL's (Activities of Daily Living) and Behavior Modification.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- 1. Provide assistance and training with ADL's (i.e. personal hygiene, meal-time etiquette, social interactions) as defined in the Individual Support Plan (ISP), with the purpose of developing confidence, self-esteem and skills.
- 2. Provide full-body transfer or transfer assistance (based on client's need) to/from wheelchair, walker, bed, shower, toilet, vehicles as indentified in client care plan.
- 3. Administer medications and treatments as prescribed and provide needed documentation.
- 4. Implement Behavior Plans (as applicable) and provide guidance for exhibiting appropriate behavior through example.
- 5. Prepare meals and maintain cleanliness of home.
- 6. Facilitate community socialization, activities and events, whether they be with the group or individually.
- 7. Emphasize an individual's abilities and provide support with limitations.
- 8. In accordance with Title 22 and Department of Health Regulations, monitor and document client progress via required documentation (daily progress notes and data collection, Nurse Notification, MAR's, special incident reports, etc).
- 9. Protect the individual's rights and provide the opportunity for informed choices.
- 10. Act as an advocate and comply with Mandated Reporter regulations.
- 11. Respect that the environment in which you are working as the client's home.
- 12. Attend mandatory In-Service trainings monthly and staff meetings as assigned.
- 13. Perform duties and responsibilities in accordance with Serra Center Policies and Procedures.
- 14. Maintain open communication with co-workers, supervisor, other team members as applicable.
- 15. Other duties as assigned by Supervisor.

REQUIREMENTS:

- 1. High School Diploma. Experience working with the developmentally disabled population preferred.
- 2. Proficient written and verbal communication skills.
- 3. Ability to work within a team.
- 4. Valid CA Driver's License.
- 5. Department of Justice (DOJ) clearance, fingerprinting, pre-employment Physical & TB.
- 6. Willingness to provide compassionate care to the developmentally disabled population.