

Health Specialist II

Salary Group: B18 Class Code: 4227

CLASS TITLE	CLASS CODE	SALARY GROUP	SALARY RANGE
HEALTH ASSISTANT	4231	B14	\$37,144 - \$55,134
HEALTH SPECIALIST I	4226	B17	\$42,976 - \$64,469
HEALTH SPECIALIST II	4227	B18	\$45,521 - \$71,055
HEALTH SPECIALIST III	4228	B19	\$48,244 - \$76,028
HEALTH SPECIALIST IV	4229	B20	\$51,158 - \$81,351
HEALTH SPECIALIST V	4230	B21	\$54,278 - \$87,046
HEALTH SPECIALIST VI	4332	B23	\$61,184 - \$99,658

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Performs complex (journey-level) counseling or psychological work. Work involves psychological testing and assessing, counseling, reporting, and research. Works under general supervision, with moderate latitude for the use of initiative and independent judgment.

EXAMPLES OF WORK PERFORMED

Performs assessments and interprets results.

Plans and implements psychological activities.

Conducts individual and group sessions.

Conducts training programs.

Interviews clients, recommends treatment, and prepares reports.

Maintains clients' treatment plans and progress records.

Participates in conferences for diagnosis and treatment planning.

Participates in research projects and program evaluations.

Prepares behavior analyses, and designs and monitors behavior modification and skill acquisition plans.

Assists in the development and implementation of individualized program plans.

Assists in conducting research and disseminating findings.

Assists with quality assurance and quality enhancement activities related to psychological service provisions.

Performs related work as assigned.

GENERAL QUALIFICATION GUIDELINES

EXPERIENCE AND EDUCATION

Experience in counseling or psychological work. Graduation from an accredited four-year college or university with a master's degree in psychology, counseling, or a related degree is generally preferred. Experience and education may be substituted for one another.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES

Knowledge of counseling, psychology, therapy, and related disciplines; and psychological tests, measurements, and treatment techniques and practices.

Skill in interviewing.

Ability to interpret diagnostic interviews and test data, to conduct individual and group discussions, to analyze behavioral deficits, to develop plans for implementing and monitoring rehabilitation activities in skill acquisition and behavior management, and to communicate effectively.

REGISTRATION, CERTIFICATION, OR LICENSURE

May be required to be licensed in a specialty area such as a Licensed Psychological Associate (LPA), Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC), Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW), or Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist (LMFT).