

# **Rehabilitation Therapy Technician IV**

Salary Group: A12 Class Code: 5053

CLASS TITLE	<b>CLASS CODE</b>	SALARY GROUP	SALARY RANGE
REHABILITATION THERAPY TECHNICIAN I	5050	A06	\$26,706 - \$36,221
REHABILITATION THERAPY TECHNICIAN I	I 5051	A08	\$28,705 - \$39,229
REHABILITATION THERAPY TECHNICIAN I	II 5052	A10	\$30,910 - \$42,571
REHABILITATION THERAPY TECHNICIAN	IV 5053	A12	\$33,840 - \$49,798
REHABILITATION THERAPY TECHNICIAN \	/ 5054	A14	\$37,144 - \$55,134

# **GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

Performs highly complex (senior-level) habilitative and rehabilitative therapy work. Work involves providing and evaluating therapeutic programs for clients with mental impairments. Works under general supervision, with moderate latitude for the use of initiative and independent judgment.

### **EXAMPLES OF WORK PERFORMED**

Instructs clients in therapeutic activities, such as arts, crafts, drama, music, printing, sewing, and recreation.

Maintains recreational facilities in therapeutic work areas.

Prepares and reviews reports on clients' attendance and their responses to treatments, which includes documenting changes in clients' attitudes and progress, and recommending changes in activities based on observations.

Monitors the inventory of equipment and supplies.

Develops and completes client rehabilitative assessments.

Evaluates treatment plans for assigned therapeutic specialty.

Provides fitness, leisure, and recreation skill training and activities to enhance development related to identified deficiencies and to maintain clients' maximum physical ability.

Provides instruction and training regarding treatment plans.

Monitors the implementation of program objectives.

Assists in developing, implementing, and monitoring new therapeutic programs.

May ensure the satisfactory completion of paperwork in order to meet applicable standards and procedures.

**Occupational Category: Social Services** 

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May assist with developing, implementing, and conducting weekly support groups.

Performs related work as assigned.

# **GENERAL QUALIFICATION GUIDELINES**

#### **EXPERIENCE AND EDUCATION**

Experience in therapeutic work. Graduation from a standard senior high school or equivalent is generally preferred. Experience and education may be substituted for one another.

## **KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES**

Knowledge of therapeutic methods and techniques in the rehabilitative therapy area of specialization, and mental illness and mental disabilities.

Skill in the use of equipment, tools, and materials used in therapeutic service activities.

Ability to provide rehabilitative therapy, to prepare concise reports, and to communicate effectively.