

Rehabilitation Therapy Technician V

Salary Group: A14 Class Code: 5054

CLASS TITLE	CLASS CODE	SALARY GROUP	SALARY RANGE
REHABILITATION THERAPY TECHNICIAN I	5050	A06	\$23,706 - \$33,221
REHABILITATION THERAPY TECHNICIAN II	5051	A08	\$25,705 - \$36,229
REHABILITATION THERAPY TECHNICIAN III	5052	A10	\$27,910 - \$39,571
REHABILITATION THERAPY TECHNICIAN IV	5053	A12	\$30,840 - \$46,798
REHABILITATION THERAPY TECHNICIAN V	5054	A14	\$34.144 - \$52.134

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Performs advanced (senior-level) habilitative and rehabilitative therapy work. Work involves assisting in the development, implementation, and execution of a planned and assigned program of habilitative and rehabilitative therapy. Works under limited supervision, with considerable 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.

Evaluates 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.

Maintains the inventory of equipment and supplies.

Maintains recreational facilities in therapeutic work areas.

Completes paperwork in order to meet applicable standards and procedures.

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

Develops, organizes, and implements support workshops and support groups on various topics of interests and importance in living with mental illness.

Develops, implements, and monitors new therapeutic programs.

Develops and completes clients' rehabilitative assessments.

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, to plan work activities, and to communicate effectively.