

Now Hiring Direct Service Technicians/Peer Support Specialist for our Substance Abuse program to join our team at Woodridge Intervention in DuPage County.

At Woodridge Interventions our job is helping the lives of others. We're looking for those who share our desire to provide the best quality care to our patients and lead the fight against the opioid epidemic, be part of MAKING A DIFFERENCE in our community!

Location:

Woodridge Interventions

2221 64th Street, Woodridge, IL 60517

Salary: \$ 17.00 per hour

Job Type: Full-time    Shift: Afternoon Shift

Who We Are:

Abraxas Youth & Family Services is a nonprofit human services provider dedicated to Building Better Futures for youth, adults, and families. Our diversified array of services includes alternative education, outpatient counseling, in-home services, detention, residential treatment and re-entry/transition services.

Since 1973, Abraxas employees have positively impacted the lives of those we serve and the communities in which they live. Every day, thousands of youth, adults, and families benefit from our programs and services.

Benefits & Perks:

We provide a competitive and comprehensive benefits program that offers the protection, peace of mind and flexibility designed to support you – both at home and at work.

Medical & Dental & Vision Insurance

Flexible Spending Accounts

Basic Life & Short-Term Disability Insurance

403(b) Savings Plan

Life Assistance Program (LAP)

Tuition Assistance Program

Paid Time Off (PTO) \* Paid Holidays \* Paid Training

Advancement Opportunities

Why Should You Consider Abraxas?

At Abraxas, we celebrate the richness of our diverse employees and the communities we serve. We are actively committed to building a culture of awareness and belonging, as we strive to ensure we are a welcoming, inclusive, and culturally competent organization.

As we work to make a difference in people's lives, we are dedicated to respect, equity, and the

engagement of those we serve and our employees.

As a provider of trauma-informed care, we firmly believe in recovery and that our clients can lead fulfilling and meaningful lives, and we consider it an honor and a privilege to assist them in their journey.

Whether you're looking to begin a rewarding career or you're a seasoned professional wanting a new challenge, we have a place for you and opportunities for development at all levels.

At Abraxas, everything we do centers around people. That is why we are committed to providing you with competitive pay and comprehensive benefit options that help make your life easier and healthier, with a focus on providing choice when it comes to physical, emotional and financial wellness. Our benefit options meet you where you are in your life and set you up for success both in and outside of work.

If you want to have a positive impact in the lives of others, come join us!

Substance Abuse Technicians are responsible for:

Monitoring, observing, and ensuring the safety and well-being of clients in a substance abuse treatment program

Providing motivational and educational support and guidance to assist clients in meeting therapeutic goals

Scheduling and coordinating client transportation and assisting with planning client recreational events

Supporting treatment plans by reporting client observations and contributing to decisions concerning therapy, discipline and privileges

Other duties as assigned

Job Requirements:

High school diploma or equivalency required

Must be at least 21 years of age

Minimum of 6 months of training or equivalent knowledge of substance abuse treatment theory and practice preferred

Previous work experience with the program specific population in a residential or outpatient setting is preferred

Must be able to respectfully interact with substance abuse clients and form a working therapeutic alliance

Valid driver's license in state of hire and good driving record required

Physical Requirements:

Ability to walk or move about facilities for up to two hours at a time, to monitor and interact with clients

Ability to speak with others in order to exchange information and provide support

Ability to proofread and check documents and files for accuracy on a regular basis

Ability to respond to telephones and pages, and to hear and detect alarms and unusual noises

Ability to drive an automobile or van and remain alert to traffic conditions, and to identify and comply with traffic signals and signs