

Los Angeles Centers for Alcohol and Drug Abuse (L.A. CADA)
Custody to Community Transitional Reentry Program
Santa Fe Springs, CA
JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

Los Angeles Centers for Alcohol and Drug Abuse serves the multicultural community of Santa Fe Springs, including cities throughout Los Angeles County. Our mission is to save lives, unite families, and protect the community through addiction counseling and healthy living education. L.A. CADA's vision is to enhance the educational and economic well-being of the people it serves by means of direct human services, advocacy, and referrals. Our values seek the empowerment of people through compassion, perseverance and respect. We are able to provide a wide range of services thanks to a collaborative approach compatible with healthy communities, dedicated partners and unique foundations. We will continue evolving to ensure our mission, vision, and values are never compromised. For more information go to www.lacada.com

The successful candidate will be able to work effectively and confidentially as part of a team, communicate well verbally, maintain all required safety regulations and maintain conditions of employment.

POSITION: **Substance Abuse Counselor**

SALARY: DOE

HOURS: Part Time

LOCATION: 11121 Bloomfield Ave, Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670

DUTIES: This position is responsible for substance abuse counseling and case management of participants enrolled in the CCTRP program.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- A State Certification in substance abuse counseling and one year of professional experience counseling recovering addicts in a program that has been licensed by the California State Department of Alcohol and Drug Programs;
- Three years of full time experience counseling with the criminal justice population in a substance abuse program.
- Knowledge of substance dependency, substance abuse and personality dynamics of substance abusers.
- Communication skills including strong writing; and attention to detail.
- Ability to exercise good judgment and discretion.
- Ability to work well in a team environment.
- Two years of experience counseling recovering addicts in a licensed substance abuse treatment program.
- Have organizational skills; good computer skills including proficiency in Microsoft Office applications.
- Valid California Driver's License and proof of personal auto insurance is required. Hire is contingent upon agency insurability.
- Not currently on probation or parole. Must be discharged for at least 3 years.
- Knowledge of chemical dependency, substance abuse, personality dynamics of the substance abuser, and trauma informed/gender responsive treatment.
- Must be able to pass a criminal history background screening and receive clearance from the California Department of Corrections; as well as maintain a yearly CPR Certification, First Aid Certification, physical exam, and Tuberculosis test results.

APPLICATIONS:

Please send resume to:

EMAIL: humanresources@lacada.com

Current L.A. CADA employees who are interested in this position are encouraged to apply by submitting a resume to the Human Resources Department.

CLOSING DATE: Open until position is filled. Los Angeles Centers for Alcohol and Drug Abuse is an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer. Our hiring practices meet all Federal and State Regulations.

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