

Job Posting			
Job Title:	Advanced Art Therapist	Department:	Private Therapy
Location:	Evanston	Travel Required:	Minimal
Salary/Hourly Range:		Employment Status:	Full-time
Date Position Available:	Immediately		
Date posted:	2/15/21	Posting Expires:	August 31, 2021
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Applications Accepted By:			
FAX OR E-MAIL: (847) 448-8337 career@itachicago.org Subject Line: Advanced Art Therapist Position Attention: Marni Rosen, Practice Director		MAIL: Marni Rosen, Psy.D ATR-BC Practice Director Institute for Therapy through the Arts 2130 Green Bay Road., Evanston, IL 60201	
Job Description			
<p>JOB SUMMARY</p> <p>THE ADVANCED ART THERAPIST IS RESPONSIBLE FOR FACILITATING INDIVIDUAL, FAMILY AND GROUP THERAPY, IMPLEMENTING THE HIGHEST STANDARDS OF PRACTICE AS DICTATED BY THE FIELDS OF CREATIVE ARTS THERAPY AND PSYCHOTHERAPY. THE CLINICIAN WILL SERVE AS A MEMBER OF ITA’S CLINICAL TEAM, PROVIDING AND RECEIVING CONSULTATION AS NEEDED. THE ADVANCED ART THERAPIST IS RESPONSIBLE FOR A CASELOAD OF UP TO 23 THERAPY SESSIONS PER WEEK AT ITA’S EVANSTON AND HIGHLAND PARK OFFICES AND THROUGH OFF-SITE WORK WITH OUR COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS. THIS POSITION MAY ALSO SERVE AS AN ITA CLINICAL SUPERVISOR AND PROVIDE OUTSIDE PRESENTATIONS AND WORKSHOPS FOR ITA THERAPISTS, COMMUNITY MEMBERS, AND CLINICAL PROFESSIONALS.</p> <p>ROLE AND RESPONSIBILITIES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Functions as a creative arts therapist with 1 – 23 client sessions per week. Demonstrates thorough case conceptualization during treatment planning, utilizing clinical and diagnostic assessments to identify client’s strengths/areas of need, treatment implementation, and re-assessment of progress made. • Collaborates with client, client’s family, and/or other members of client’s treatment team during therapeutic process. • Completes documentation, administrative paperwork, and other tasks/responsibilities in timely manner as outlined in ITA’s policies and procedures. • Maintains consistent, clear, and prompt communication with primary supervisor and other ITA staff. • Provides trainings, workshops, and presentations as needed for outside professionals. • Seeks clinical supervision from primary supervisor to help ensure quality delivery of clinical services and professional development. • Engages in continued professional development through outside trainings, conferences, or other offerings within the Creative Arts Therapy field. • Actively works to expand ITA’s network and presence in the greater Chicagoland area. • Strictly adheres to ITA’s policies and procedures. 			

- Maintains and promotes quality assurance standards, including, but not limited to, the American Counseling Association Codes of Ethics and Standards of Practice/Codes of Ethics within each Creative Arts Therapy field.

QUALIFICATIONS AND EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

Master’s Degree in Art Therapy and/or Counseling. Holds the professional credential of Registered Art Therapist (ATR) or ATR-BC. Possesses a terminal license as a Clinical Psychologist, LCPC or LCSW or related license in the state of Illinois or transferable within 4 months (no exceptions made). Minimum of 8 years clinical experience and 2 years of supervisory experience.

COMPETENCIES AND PREFERRED SKILLS

- Understands and strictly adheres to the ethical codes of the creative arts therapy professions and the American Counseling Association.
- Strong knowledge of creative arts therapy and psychology theories and treatment methods.
- Solid leadership skills.
- Strong communication skills: persuasive writing and oral communication.
- Creativity in carrying out clinical and administrative tasks.
- Ability to work collaboratively with colleagues.
- Excellent organizational skills and attention to detail.
- Experience and comfort in public speaking and presentations.
- Strong knowledge in Microsoft Office suite with a minimum of beginner skills in Microsoft Excel

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