

## JOB POSTING ANNOUNCEMENT

March 6, 2019

**POSITION:** Behavioral Health Specialist (Contract Worker)

**WORK LOCATION:** Newton

**CONTRACT TERM:** April 1, 2019 through June 30, 2019

**MINIMUM PAY:** \$18.00 per Hour/No Benefits

**RESPONSIBILITIES:** Provide Behavioral Health Specialist services to Central Mississippi Residential Center at 701 Northside Drive, Newton, MS including, but not limited to, assisting with psychological evaluation of clients; consult with the treatment team, medical staff, psychiatric staff and assist and in managing behaviors of clients, along with conducting sessions as assigned; conducting in-service to staff on predetermined topics as assigned; administering, scoring and interpreting a variety of psychological assessments to clients to determine baseline cognitive status, emotional state and any degree of self-harm or to others; and conducting individual counseling, conducting groups as assigned, and completing all documentation and group notes

**QUALIFICATIONS:** **EXPERIENCE/EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS:**

Education:

A Master's Degree from an accredited four-year college or university in Psychology, Counseling, Counselor Education, Community Counseling, or Psychometry, including or supplemented by the completion of two (2) psychological testing/assessment courses which are acceptable to the appointing authority;

AND

Experience:

Two (2) years of experience.