## **Behavioral Health Consultant**

REPORTING/COORDINATING RELATIONSHIP: Chief Executive Officer

SUPERVISORY RESPONSIBILITIES: N/A, unless deemed necessary by employer

**PRIMARY FUNCTION:** Provide clinical behavioral health services in a manner that upholds the health center's mission and quality standards and result in better patient health outcomes and overall satisfaction, and stronger operational and fiscal capacity of the health center.

**PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITIES:** This staff member's primary location will be in Princeton. Provide brief (usually 1-3 sessions) behavioral health consultations as described below:

- 1. Individual consultation with patients, including:
  - Assessment and diagnosis
  - Medication adherence counseling.
  - Psychoeducation for patients and their support systems.
  - Develop behavioral strategies aimed at symptom reduction, improved health outcomes, and compliant to health strategies.
- 2. Maintain up-to-date client medical records by submitting timely and complete assessments, progress notes, and required documentation for billing purposes.
- 3. Provide consultation to and coordinate care of patients with health center primary care staff. Identify and refer, advocate for patients needing specialty behavioral health services, and other services as needed.
- 4. Be available for crisis intervention when necessary, with appropriate referrals.
- 5. Attend required trainings for both Pennyroyal Services, Inc., as well as those for Community Medical Clinic.
- 6. Other duties as required/assigned.

## **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

Minimum of either (1) Master's degree in clinical or counseling psychology with Kentucky certification as a psychological associate and autonomous functioning status; or (2) Master's in social work with Kentucky licensure (LCSW); Prefer to be currently insurance billable but, will consider supervisory requirements if working toward independent status. Must have reliable transportation, valid driver's license, and present proof of automobile insurance. Must pass a legally required Criminal Records Check and a Sexual Offender Registry check. Must provide proof of a recent (less than 1-year-old) 2-step TB skin test.