

The Medical Therapy Programs of California Children's Services

The Medical Therapy Program (MTP) is a special program within California Children's Services that includes Occupational Therapy (OT) and Physical Therapy (PT) for children birth to 21 years old with eligible conditions including but not limited to: cerebral palsy, spina bifida, and muscular dystrophy. Therapy services are provided at outpatient rehabilitation units located in public schools. These units are called "Medical Therapy Units" (MTU).

Dynamic people

Team-oriented environment

Work with disabled children



San Joaquin County is currently recruiting for

Physical Therapist-Sr/Case Manager

THE POSITION

The Physical Therapist-Sr is a case management position that will provide technical and consultation for California Children's Services (CCS) clients and applicants regarding requests for occupational and physical therapy treatment, inpatient rehabilitation, orthotics/prosthetics, and rehabilitation related durable medical equipment as prescribed by the physician and participates in determination of medical eligibility for the Medical Therapy Program in conjunction with the Medical Consultant.

Additional duties include but are not limited to:

- Authorizes CCS services related to PT/OT, durable medical equipment and prosthetics/orthotics. Provides ongoing technical assistance and consultation to medical case management team regarding requests for Occupational/Physical therapy, inpatient rehabilitation, orthotics/ prosthetics and rehabilitation related durable medical equipment as prescribed by the physician.
- Attends medical therapy conferences held in the medical therapy units in order to facilitate, collaborate and expedite the equipment needs of the clients.
- Collaborates with MTP staff and defers requests to the medical therapy units as appropriate.
- Develops and implements QA/QI activities with regards to case findings and medical case management of CCS clients in conjunction with the medical case management team and the MTP. Communicates with MTP families as needed for case management purposes.
- Develops a network of OT and PT vendors with experience in treating children with special health care needs.

CALIFORNIA CHILDREN'S SERVICES

CCS is a statewide program that manages, directs and pays for medical care, equipment, and rehabilitation, when these services are authorized by the program. Services can be authorized for children and young adults less than 21 years of age who have eligible medical conditions and whose families are unable to pay for all or part of their care. CCS defines eligibility and selects the most qualified professionals to treat the child's CCS eligible condition.

San Joaquin County Public Health Services



Physical Therapist-Sr

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Experience: Two years of progressively responsible experience as a licensed physical therapist performing diagnostic and therapeutic physical therapy techniques for a variety of disabling conditions.

<u>Licenses</u>: Current licensure as a Physical Therapist by the Physical Therapy Board of California (PTBOC) and, if required by the nature of the assignment, possession of valid California driver's license.

Approximate Monthly Salary: \$5666-\$6888

The County offers an excellent benefit plan which includes

- A choice between three medical programs, two dental programs and vision program
- 1937 Act retirement plan with reciprocity with CALPERS
- A 457(b) deferred compensation plan
- 12 days sick leave annually with unlimited accumulation
- Maximum earned vacation is 10 days each year up to 3 years; 15 days after 3 years; 20 days after 10 years; and 23 days after 20 years.
- 10 holidays per year

APPLICATION AND SELECTION

The competitive process includes submittal of a completed San Joaquin County Employment Application and supplemental questionnaire. Resumes will not be accepted in lieu of the required application materials. Completed application package must be submitted to the Human Resources Division. The final deadline is April 4, 2014. Application materials may be obtained from and submitted to:

San Joaquin County Human Resources 44 N. San Joaquin Street Suite 330 Stockton, CA 95202 Tel: 209.468.3370 Fax: 209.468.0508

Or apply on-line at: www.sjgov.org/hr

All application materials will be reviewed to determine if candidates possess the minimum qualifications required for the position. All qualified applicants will be referred to Public Health Services for the hiring interview.

For selection procedures please visit: www.sjgov.org/hr.
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Please submit responses to the following questions along with your employment application to the San Joaquin County Human Resources Division. Please number your responses and address each question separately, limit-one page per question. When describing your experience, please include name of employer, dates of employment, and your job title. The answers to this questionnaire will be used to demonstrate your qualifications for the position.

- **1.** The position requires current licensure as a Physical Therapist by the Physical Therapy Board of California (PTBOC). What is your license number and expiration date?
- 2. Describe your work experience performing diagnostic and therapeutic physical therapy.