

CLUBHOUSE STAFF/SOCIAL PRACTITIONER - Ann Arbor, MI

Join Fresh Start, a non-clinical therapy-through-work program based on the Fountain House model, empowering adults with mental illness to rediscover their passions and interests. We strongly believe that diversity and inclusion are essential to fostering a welcoming and supportive community.

Social Practitioners work alongside members to engage them in our Work Order Day. They assist in facilitating the day's agenda, activities, outreach, and event planning.

At Fresh Start, we value the unique perspectives and backgrounds that individuals from diverse communities bring to our organization. We encourage applicants from all races, ethnicities, national origins, religions, genders, sexual orientations, socio-economic backgrounds, veteran status, and abilities, especially those with mental health diagnoses, to apply. We are committed to providing equal opportunities and overcoming injustices, promoting environmental and social justice within our programs.

Our mission is to empower people with mental illness to lead healthy, satisfying and productive lives, and we recognize that diversity enriches our community and enhances our ability to achieve this vision. We actively support and celebrate various holidays and beliefs. We also have a Social Justice Committee dedicated to advocating for justice and equity.

Requirements:

- Excellent organizational, written, and verbal communication skills.
- Ability to create and implement structure, motivate individuals, and work in a dynamic environment.
- Outstanding interpersonal skills, high tolerance for ambiguity, and ability to assess strengths and challenges.
- Valid driver's license and good driving record (age 25+ due to insurance requirements).
- Must pass a background check.

Preferred:

- Bachelor's degree in education, occupational therapy (OTA accepted), vocational rehab, social work, humanities, or related field, or commensurate experience.

Responsibilities:

Engage Clubhouse members in all operations and assist them in vocational, educational, housing, and socialization goals.

Coordinate work tasks with small and large groups, provide training on transitional employment, and contribute to job development efforts.

Participate in community job settings as a job coach and offer coverage for evening, weekend, and holiday social activities.

If you are an energetic, positive individual with a passion for making a difference in the lives of others, we invite you to be part of our diverse and inclusive team. Email your resume and a cover letter to hire@freshstartclubhouse.org with the subject line "Social Practitioner Application-[Your Name]." For more details, check the link:

http://clubhouse-intl.org/documents/communities_eng.pdf.

COVID-19 Considerations: In-person work, masking optional (subject to change), vaccination strongly

encouraged.

Job Type: Full-time