JOB TITLE: Mental Health Contract Professional (Bilingual – Spanish)

REPORTS TO: Clinical Program Director STATUS: 1099



### **OBJECTIVE**

To provide adjunct professional expertise by a licensed mental health professional, to facilitate assigned support group components &/or short-term counseling for individuals/families within the mission and scope of Gilda's Club Kentuckiana.

## **Contract Professional Responsibilities**

- 1. The CP shall be a licensed mental health professional at the master's level unless otherwise specified by role and responsibility with the review and approval of the Clinical Director.
- 2. The CP shall be fluent in Spanish to support our growing clinical support needs with the Hispanic community.
- 3. While the CP is considered part of the clubhouse team, he/she/they remains an independent contractor. As such he/she/they will provide proof of his/her/their malpractice/liability insurance and current licensure to GCK HR as required by his/her/their role and responsibilities.
- 4. The CP agrees to promote the mission of GCK and practice within the scope of this mission.
- 5. The CP agrees to operate in a manner consistent with his/her/their professional ethics and licensure.
- 6. The CP agrees to review and comply with all CP policies and procedures developed and implemented by GCK.
- 7. The CP agrees to complete orientation to the clubhouse community and its mission, and complete training specific to his/her/their role and responsibilities.
- 8. GCK considers the CP a team member. As such the CP is welcome to attend appropriate staff events, by invitation, throughout the year.
- 9. The CP agrees to a required criminal background check prior to providing services at GCK and agrees that any job-related conviction(s) will immediately nullify this Agreement.
- 10. The CP agrees to participate in ongoing clinical supervision facilitated by the Clinical Director to ensure the effectiveness of clubhouse programs.
- 11. The CP agrees to abide by GCK's policy regarding confidentiality of sharing information by and about members and of all clinical matters.
- 12. The CP agrees to participate in an annual performance review related to his/her/their core responsibilities with the Clinical Director or designee and to provide an annual evaluation of GCK supervisors and programs with which he/she/they is connected.
- 13. The GCK Clinical Director or designee will observe CP group facilitation once a year.
- 14. The CP will report hours monthly to the Clinical Director as instructed.
- 15. As an independent contractor the CP is responsible for all city, state, and federal taxes related to his/her/their contract work with GCK.
- 16. The CP understands he/she/they is not eligible for participate in GCK's employee benefit plans.
- 17. The CP will complete required documentation related to professional services in accordance with GCK standards.

- 18. The CP will maintain his/her/their transportation to and from his/her service venue.
- 19. The CP may not refer GCK members to his/her/their own practice or place of work nor shall he/she/they refer clients or GCK members into the Support/Networking Group for which he/she/they is responsible at GCK.
- 20. The CP agrees not to share any proprietary information with sources outside GCK, including but not limited to information related to programming, development, donors, members, marketing, communications and outreach.
- 21. The CP will indemnify and hold GCK harmless for any claims, matters, liability and actions arising from the CP's engagement for services.

### Commitment:

Varies according to assignment(s) and contracted hours.

# Time Requirements:

Varies according to assignment(s) and contracted hours.

### A. Compensation:

GCK shall pay the CP at a rate of \$100.00 per Support and/or Networking Group that they facilitate and \$50.00 per hour of clinical services for other assigned duties, including for required pre-group meetings. This rate will increase to \$110.00/\$55.00 respectively, after they have provided services to GCK for 5 years and will increase to \$120.00/\$60.00 respectively, after they have provided services to GCK for 10 years.

### **Qualifications:**

The ideal candidate:

- 1. Is bilingual with fluency in English & Spanish.
- 2. Is warm and personable, possesses a good sense of humor and enjoys relating to all types of persons.
- 3. Demonstrates appropriate personal and professional boundaries.
- 4. Abides by clubhouse policy regarding member confidentiality.
- 5. Holds a minimum of a Masters degree in a mental health field and is licensed as a mental health professional in the state of Kentucky.
- 6. Has experience with individuals and families affected by cancer or other life-threatening illness and/or grief and loss preferred.
- 7. Is skilled in group facilitation with emphasis on peer-centered groups.
- 8. Completes training specific to mission, program philosophy and core components, and to job-specific responsibilities.