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# Example of Behavioral Health Technician Job Description

Our company is searching for experienced candidates for the position of behavioral health technician. To join our growing team, please review the list of responsibilities and qualifications.

## Responsibilities for behavioral health technician

* Provides crisis intervention and milieu management on the unit to maintain patient and staff safety
* Performs general clerical and office support duties
* Intervenes with suicidal gestures, inappropriate behaviors, elopements, , using proper CPI technique
* Maintains order and ensures compliance with rules and regulations
* Prioritize work duties and works well under stressful situations
* Provides a brief overview of the housing program in regard to program rules, procedures, and services
* Provides appropriate support and structure for clients in dealing with their recovery
* Obtain vital signs upon admission and at designated times physical symptoms of clients
* May be required to escort clients on store runs, when necessary, for the purchase of personal items
* Performs other duties, tasks and services as assigned by the Program Director or supervisor on duty

## Qualifications for behavioral health technician

* Applicants without CPI certification may be considered but must obtain certification within 30 days of hire
* PRN employees must have a minimum of 1 year recent related experience as a mental health tech
* In accordance with Minnesota Rules 9530.6450 Subpart 1-B
* Must also quality for CPI training
* Ability to read and interpret written information
* Georgia Nurse’s Aide Certification required ORBehavioral Health Technician