

SOCIAL WORKER IN CALIFORNIA

THE SOCIAL WORKER PLANS, ORGANIZES AND IMPLEMENTS SOCIAL WORK SERVICES TO PARTICIPANTS AND THEIR CAREGIVERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH POLICIES AND ALL APPLICABLE REGULATIONS. CONDUCTS PSYCHOSOCIAL ASSESSMENTS, PARTICIPATES IN CARE PLANNING AND ACTS AS A LIAISON BETWEEN THE PARTICIPANT AND THE INTERDISCIPLINARY TEAM.

ABOUT OUR COMPANY:

With over 20 years of experience in supporting corporate and federal recruitment, workplace mentoring, and technology accessibility initiatives, Bender Consulting Services, Inc. is the leading national expert in disability employment solutions for private and public sector employers. To learn more about how to start your career with Bender Consulting Services, Inc., please visit our website at www.benderconsult.com.

HOW TO APPLY:

To apply for consideration for the following career opportunity for people with disabilities, please visit www.benderconsult.com/careers/submit-resume and complete the electronic form.

POSITION DESCRIPTION:

- Performs initial assessments of PACE participants to obtain a psychosocial history including cognitive status, mental health and substance use history, behavioral concerns, family dynamics, and current social supports.
- Participates within the interdisciplinary team in the formulation of Plans of Care, as well as in other interdisciplinary team settings that plan, coordinate and monitor the care of program participants.
- Conducts in-person reassessments of enrolled participants every six months or as determined by policy and best practice. Assessments include collaboration with caregivers and assessment of housing risk.
- Develops collaborative relationships with internal and external partners. Utilizes a solution-oriented perspective to facilitate resolution of participant needs.
- Acts as a primary liaison between the participant/family and the IDT to facilitate communication.
- Facilitates, mediates and documents participant care conferences, family meetings and facility partnership meetings.
- Monitors changes in the patient's condition and needs.
- Assists physician, or intermediate care provider, and other team members in understanding the significant social and emotional factors related to the health problems.
- Provides psychosocial services in accordance with established standards.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Must have Master's degree in Social Work from a school of social work accredited by the Council on Social Work Education
- Current CPR certification or the ability to obtain CPR certification is required.
- One year experience in a health care setting
- Experience conducting psychosocial assessments, care planning and case management skills required.
- A minimum of one year experience working with the frail or elderly.
- Must be computer proficient and possess experience with Microsoft Word, Excel, and Outlook.
- Ability to read, analyze and interpret regulations and other documents.
- Strong interpersonal skills and ability to effectively and tactfully present information to, and communicate with, co-workers, employees, and others.
- Ability to define problems, collect data, establish facts, and draw valid conclusions.
- Able to establish and maintain cooperative and positive working relationships.