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A century of serving children

## **MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELOR – Grave Shift (On-Call) Oakland, CA**

### **Who We Are:**

For more than a century, Fred Finch Youth Center has served youth and their families in the East Bay. Today we also serve communities on the peninsula, in Solano County and San Diego County. Our clients include children, adolescents, and young adults who face varied and often multiple challenges. Many are transitioning from foster care into the adult world. Many have an emotional disturbance or mental illness. Some have both a mental illness and a developmental disability. All are economically impoverished. Most have experienced, abuse, neglect, trauma or lack of adequate health care or educational resources. To enhance the strengths and assist with the challenges of each individual, we provide a wide variety of services in several types of settings: specialty residential treatment; special education; vocational services; transitional housing; individual, group and family therapy and counseling. Services are provided in the community, in schools, in homes and at our sites.

### **Position Summary:**

The Mental Health Counselor (MHC) is responsible for actively supervising the residential milieu and safety of residents, as well as providing a consistent and nurturing environment to very challenging clients. The MHC is also responsible for modeling appropriate behaviors and interactions, monitoring policy, and crisis intervention when necessary.

**\*THIS IS AN ON-CALL/RELIEF POSITION\* We are looking to hire individuals who are available to work GRAVE SHIFT hours. Great as a second job or pick up some work hours while in school!**

### **Requirements:**

1. BA preferred in social science discipline OR 4 years related work experience, 2 years in a milieu setting.
2. Valid CA driver's license and good driving record.
3. At least one year of experience in residential treatment or related field.
4. Experience with severely emotionally disturbed adolescent population preferred.

### **How to Apply:**

Please apply to this link: <https://home.eease.com/recruit/?id=485669>

NO FAXES OR EMAILS PLEASE!

### **Compensation:**

Starting hourly salary: \$12.50 per hour, or more, depending on experience (DOE).

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FFYC is proud to be an equal opportunity employer; all applicants will be given full consideration under state, local, and federal law.

Visit our website at <http://www.fredfinch.org>. This is at a non-profit organization.

No relocation assistance available.