

The UCSF Child and Adolescent Support, Advocacy and Resource Center (CASARC) Seeks Spanish Speaking (Bicultural/Bilingual) Mental Health Clinician

Who we are: Child and Adolescent Support, Advocacy and Resource Center (CASARC)

CASARC is a program of the Division of Trauma Recovery Services (DTRS), which is part of the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences at Zuckerberg San Francisco General Hospital (DPBS; ZSFG). CASARC is a unique multidisciplinary clinic that serves children, youth, and families that have been impacted by sexual abuse, physical abuse, witnessed severe domestic violence or who have a family member who has been a victim of severe interpersonal violence, including family members of homicide victims. CASARC specializes in the treatment of sexual abuse and we are a founding member of San Francisco's nationally accredited Child Advocacy Center (CAC). Our multidisciplinary team consists of a psychiatrist, psychologists, social workers, marriage and family therapists, pediatricians, nurse practitioners, and physician assistants. ZSFG is the only hospital in San Francisco where families can go for forensic evidence collection and forensic multidisciplinary interviews to aid in the investigation of sexual abuse.

Many of our families are monolingual Spanish speaking and/or bilingual. As such, our team offers services in English and Spanish and we look forward to expanding our capacity to serve more monolingual Spanish speaking families. Our team is well versed in understanding interpersonal violence in a broader societal context, including the ways that structural racism and systemic inequities have perpetuated cycles of violence and barriers to care in underserved communities.

Overview-Job Duties

Under the direct supervision of the CASARC Clinical Coordinator, the Mental Health Clinician will maintain a clinical case load, providing clinical assessment, crisis intervention, individual, play, didactic, group and family therapy, using trauma-focused and evidence-based interventions, clinical case management, and care coordination. Outreach to difficult to reach children, youth and their families is an essential job function.

We provide all staff with weekly supervision, training and self-care group in order to support professional development and mediate the impact of vicarious trauma.

We use a hybrid model and services are delivered both at ZSFG and at home via telehealth.

Ideal Candidates

Bilingual/bicultural Spanish speaking, CA licensed LCSW or LMFT with experience and a strong interest in serving culturally and linguistically-diverse communities of child survivors of sexual abuse. Applicants whose clinical work is informed by cultural humility and a commitment to anti-racist practice.

What we offer: Community | Competitive Salary | Extensive Training

CASARC is a one-of-a-kind program and we are proud of the quality of care we provide to our community. We believe in building a diverse community of providers that matches our clients' needs. We are deeply committed to the values of equity and inclusion. We offer a competitive salary and excellent benefits, including a pension. We provide all staff with weekly on-site supervision and training. For further information, please email Jody Friedman, LCSW at jody.friedman@ucsf.edu

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