

## Job Title: Specialist, Prevention (Teacher On Assignment)

Salary Schedule:InstructionalJob Code:310520Pay Grade:InstructionalJDE:S-11.67

## **MAJOR FUNCTION:**

Under general direction, implement, coordinate, and assist in planning and developing school prevention programs, curriculum, and student assistance services through school and community partnerships.

#### **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Bachelor's degree from an accredited institution; Master's degree preferred.
- Three (3) years of experience in school counseling, social work, psychology, or related field.
- Positive Behavior Support training/experience preferred.
- Valid Florida teaching certification in school counseling, social work, psychology, or closely-related field.
- Proven experience successfully managing business/department functions and staff preferred.
- Industry certification preferred.
- Lean Six Sigma Certification preferred.

Such alternatives to the above qualifications as the Board may find acceptable.

## **KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES:**

- Clear and concise oral and written communication skills; analytical, mathematical, organizational, and prioritization skills; flexibility and adaptability in dealing with rapidly changing priorities and demands.
- Knowledge of and the ability to interpret and enforce pertinent regulations, policies, and procedures for the functional area of assignment.
- Knowledge of and experience using multiple project management tools and methodologies.
- Knowledge of HIPAA, Public Records, Sunshine Law, FERPA, and other laws/regulations related to student and employee privacy, public information, and records retention.
- Ability to analyze program data and prepare written informational reports.
- Ability to communicate technical information to technical and non-technical personnel.
- Ability to deliver high-quality customer service in a timely and professional manner.

## **REPORTS TO:** Director, School Counseling and Mental Health Services or Designated Administrator

### **ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS:**

- Plan portions of programs and coordinate operations within the supervisor's overall guidelines.
- Serve as a primary reference source for prevention/intervention program operations and information.
- Act as liaison between parents and schools on concerns related to bullying and other student safety topics.
- Coordinate all phases of student prevention program development and implementation in the assigned school/community.
- Develop, implement, and manage the delivery of student development curriculum in areas related, but not limited to, alcohol, tobacco, drug, and bullying prevention.
- Coordinate and present staff training in the District-designated evidence-based bully prevention program and all supporting programs.
- Make presentations regarding program activities and provide inservice training about the prevention program regarding bullying, alcohol, tobacco, drugs, and other related topics.
- Promote and coordinate involvement of school- and community-based resources to provide positive alternative activities and prevention education programs to/for students and their families.
- Attend program related meetings, conferences, and workshops.
- Develop and maintain a variety of specialized files; collect statistics, program feedback, and related data for project evaluation.
- Perform Medicaid administrative claims reimbursable activities as directed in accordance with Chapter 3 of the federally approved School District Administrative Claiming (SDAC) Guide.
- Serve as a liaison between the District and parents who call with concerns regarding bullying, the process, and how to approach their student's school regarding specific instances of bullying.
- Collaborate with other designated District personnel on the annual Florida Youth Survey, social norming initiatives, and other prevention projects.

## **OTHER JOB FUNCTIONS:**

- Attend staff meetings and participate in conferences and other trainings to enhance job performance.
- Seek out professional development opportunities and maintain professional licensure and certifications.



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- Promote the District's interest in increasing student achievement by working with the educational interests of students in mind at all times.
- Maintain positive communication with colleagues, community members, parents, and students to promote an increase in community engagement in education.
- Support the retention of Highly Effective and Effective employees by exhibiting professionalism and making positive contributions to workplace morale.
- Promote a culture of high performance and continuous improvement by valuing learning and making a commitment to quality.

## **EXERTION TYPE:**

Light work. Position requires exerting up to 20 pounds of force occasionally, and/or up to 10 pounds of force frequently, and/or a negligible
amount of force constantly to move objects.

#### **OTHER PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:**

The following selected physical activities are required to perform the essential functions of this position.

Physical Requirement	Description	Percent of Time
☑ Balancing	Maintaining body equilibrium to prevent falling and walking, standing or crouching on narrow, slippery, or erratically moving surfaces. This factor is important if the amount of balancing exceeds that needed for ordinary locomotion and maintenance of body equilibrium.	10%
<b>⊠</b> Climbing	Ascending or descending ladders, stairs, scaffolding, ramps, poles and the like, using feet and legs and/or hands and arms. Body agility is emphasized. This factor is important if the amount and kind of climbing required exceeds that required for ordinary locomotion.	10%
<b>⊠</b> Crawling	Moving about on hands and knees or hands and feet.	10%
☑ Crouching	Bending the body downward and forward by bending leg and spine.	10%
<b>⊠</b> Feeling	Perceiving attributes of objects, such as size, shape, temperature or texture by touching with skin, particularly that of fingertips.	30%
	Picking, pinching, typing or otherwise working, primarily with fingers rather than with the whole hand as in handling.	80%
□ Grasping	Applying pressure to an object with the fingers and palm.	30%
<b>⊠</b> Hearing	Perceiving the nature of sounds at normal speaking levels with or without correction. Ability to receive detailed information through oral communication, and to make the discriminations in sound.	100%
☑ Kneeling	Bending legs at knee to come to a rest on knee or knees.	10%
□ Lifting	Raising objects from a lower to a higher position or moving objects horizontally from position-to-position. This factor is important if it occurs to a considerable degree and requires substantial use of upper extremities and back muscles.	10%
□ Pulling	Using upper extremities to exert force in order to draw, haul, or tug objects in a sustained motion.	10%
□ Pushing	Using upper extremities to press against something with steady force in order to thrust forward, downward, or outward.	10%
☑ Reaching	Extending hand(s) and arm(s) in any direction.	30%
⊠ Repetitive      Motion	Substantial movements (motions) of the wrists, hands, and/or fingers.	20%
<b>⊠</b> Seeing	The ability to perceive the nature of objects by the eye.	100%
Sitting	Particularly for sustained periods of time.	70%



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Standing	Particularly for sustained periods of time.	10%
<b>⊠</b> Stooping	Bending body downward and forward by bending spine at the waist. This factor is important if it occurs to a considerable degree and requires full motion of the lower extremities and back muscles.	10%
☑ Talking	Expressing or exchanging ideas by means of the spoken word. Those activities in which they must convey detailed or important spoken instructions to other workers accurately, loudly, or quickly.	90%
<b>⊠</b> Walking	Moving about on foot to accomplish tasks, particularly for long distances or moving from one work site to another.	20%

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT: Work year and salary as established by the Board and the TALC bargaining unit through the collective bargaining

process

DAYS PER YEAR: 196, 201
FLSA STATUS: Exempt
BARGAINING UNIT: TALC

WORKER'S COMP. CATEGORY: 8868 - School Professionals

**BOARD ADOPTION:** 10-23-12

**REVISED:** 6-27-17, 12-11-18, 7-28-20, 1-26-21

**REVIEWED:** COMPENSATION & LABOR RELATIONS WILL COMPLETE

Every job duty in a job description need not always be specifically described, and any omission does not preclude the required performance of all duties that are job-related.