

DEPARTMENT OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CAREER LADDER

The following are the minimum education and/or licensure requirement(s) for each occupation with corresponding annual salary*

\$167,668

\$64,106

\$63,044

\$51,958

\$42,723

\$44,886

\$38,688

\$36,857

\$35,942

\$23,150

\$34,278

Psychiatrist

Valid Physician's license and a completed 3 year residency.

Occupational Therapist

Valid Occupational Therapist license.

Pre-licensed Clinical Therapist—MFT/ Social Work/Psychologist

MFT/Social Work - Must be within 3 months of receiving a master's degree in corresponding field.

Psychologist - must be within 3 months of doctorate degree and completed 1,500 hours of clinical internship.

Alcohol and Drug Counselor

30 semester units in related coursework or bachelor's degree or Alcohol or other Drug Counselor certification.

Mental Health Specialist

30 semester units in Behavioral or Social Science courses.

Nursing Attendant

Completion of a Certified Nursing Assistant/Attendant Program within the past 3-5 years. Possess a Healthcare Provider Level Basic Life Support certification.

Mental Health Nurse

Possess Registered Nurse license and maintain Basic Life Support certification.

Clinical Therapist

Must possess and maintain licensure in field of work.

Social Worker II

Bachelor's degree in Social Work or bachelor's in closely related field with 480 hours of supervised experience or 30 completed semester units, half in upper division coursework and 1 year experience equivalent to entry level Social Worker.

Social Worker II Trainee

30 semester units of completed college coursework in related field. Eligible for promotion to Social Worker II upon meeting the minimum requirements.

Psychiatric Technician I

Possess Psychiatric Technician license.

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