

SUMMARY

Project Director– South Florida Behavioral Health Network, Little Havana Behavioral Health Screening and Engagement Collaborative, Live Healthy Little Havana

SFBHN has been funded by the Health Foundation of South Florida as the lead entity to implement the Little Havana Behavioral Health Screening and Engagement Collaborative. Beginning its second grant year, this Collaborative has developed a partnership of screening and provider community agencies serving Little Havana individuals and key stakeholders to plan for the development and implementation of a comprehensive screening and linking processes for residents of Little Havana. The Collaborative is developing and establishing processes that screens for behavioral health and other concomitant risk factors known to impact behavioral health. The screening of additional risk factors will allow for the referral to and linking of families to the most appropriate type and intensity of behavioral health services. Because residents may have various barriers to accessing traditional behavioral health services, the Collaborative will assess the development of a system for linking residents to traditional and non-traditional resources. The pilot system and strategies developed by the Collaborative will allow for the tracking of the number of residents screened; the number of residents that screen at-risk for behavioral health problems; the number of residents linked to traditional and non-traditional behavioral health resources/services; and the number of residents that accessed services or resources and were satisfied with the services/resources, as well as for process data to inform the project.

The Project Director's responsibility is to build and maintain strategic relationships, conduct outreach activities, coordinate meetings and other related activities, and recruit and retain provider and other volunteers as well as to be primarily responsible for development, implementation, and coordination of the project activities (clinical research component included), for the Live Healthy Little Havana Initiative, Health Foundation's Health Impact Area 3 focusing on Mental Health <https://www.livehealthylittlehavana.com/> . In addition, the Project Director will coordinate the resident outreach component of the behavioral health strategy based on the work plan goals – a major component of the Live Healthy Little Havana strategy. The Project Director is responsible for reports, documents, data, and accountability for the program.

The Project Director will report to the Community and Systems Integrator at SFBHN.

EDUCATION AND/OR EXPERIENCE: Master's Degree in a behavioral health field (Social Work, Public Health, Psychology, etc.) or Health Science with at least 2 years community experience (outreach, community organizing, building collaborations) and research based work with knowledge of clinical/behavioral health practice, behavioral health strategies and knowledge of clinical/behavioral health practice, with an emphasis on data collection and research, community outreach, coordination, clinical interventions – including screening and assessment, and strategies related to community engagement. Knowledge of current technology, data, and software applications appropriate to the position's job responsibilities, including any research applications. Analytical skills, knowledge of scientific research, and education related to research design strongly preferred. Understanding of the dynamics of large urban communities, particularly ones with diverse cultural associations. License or license eligible in behavioral health strongly preferred.

LANGUAGE SKILLS: Ability to read, analyze, and interpret the most complex documents. Ability to respond effectively to the most sensitive inquiries or complaints. Bilingual English/Spanish to work in the specified Little Havana community, including community residents.

COMPENSATION: Salary range is \$48,000 to \$52,000 commensurate with experience for 40 hours per week full time with a benefit package.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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"Intellectuals solve problems; geniuses prevent them." ~Albert Einstein



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