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## Clinician (5 Hours biweekly)

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Turning Leaf is a non-profit charitable organization dedicated to providing helpful services to those experiencing intellectual challenges and mental illness

Reporting to the Director of Supported Independent Living, the Clinician is responsible for providing counselling services to the participants that Turning Leaf supports who are struggling with various concerns impacting their daily lives.

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## Duties and Responsibilities

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- Apply appropriate assessment and diagnostic criteria, using accepted methods, including gathering information from family members and other collateral contacts
- Develop a treatment plan for each participant based on the assessment of presenting issues
- Adapt treatment modalities to the participant's individual characteristics and needs
- Explore all available resources in maximizing the most effective plan for the participant
- Utilize an interdisciplinary approach to treatment where appropriate
- Provide ongoing evaluation and revision of participant's progress and goals
- Provide appropriate intervention to the participant and the community based on their assessment and treatment plan
- Provide a range of counseling and education services including: individual, group and family services
- Provide relapse prevention services
- Assess and provide direct intervention or referral to appropriate service providers/programs
- Deal effectively with addictive patterns of behavior, concurrent disorders and other mental health behavioral and emotional concerns such as abuse, violence, grief and loss
- Record case-notes, and produce participant-related documentation such as reports according to accepted practices and policies
- Maintain regular contact with participant referrals according to the frequency and method desired by the particular referral in order to keep them apprised of participant progress and/or difficulties
- Intervene as advocate for participants to resolve problems in crisis situations
- Complete and maintain accurate records and reports regarding the participant's histories and progress, services provided and other required information

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## Essential Requirements

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- PhD level in Clinical Psychology or equivalent
- Experience working with people with Intellectual Challenge and mental illness
- Experience working with the Indigenous population
- Working in collaboration with our Crisis Intervention team and clinical Team
- Experience with Trauma and attachment

## **Compensation and Benefits**

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- Competitive compensation
- GRRSP (optional)

## **How to Apply**

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Please submit your cover letter and resume to [hr@turningleafservices.com](mailto:hr@turningleafservices.com)