

# Psychologist

## Practice Summary

Established for 13 years, Mitchell's Place is an inclusive preschool and outpatient clinic for children diagnosed with autism spectrum disorder and other developmental disabilities. We are a multi-disciplinary team that includes speech therapy, occupational therapy, applied behavior analysis (ABA) therapy, psychology, psychiatry, and an ABA based preschool. Our team works collaboratively to provide comprehensive services for families to improve the quality of life for our clients and their families. We have a well-developed reputation not only statewide, but regionally for providing services in a family-oriented way. This position is an excellent opportunity for a motivated individual to join our psychology department with the support of the Mitchell's Place staff and families.

## Position Summary

Mitchell's Place is seeking a licensed psychologist experienced in working with children and adolescents with autism spectrum disorder and other developmental disabilities. Services provided to include diagnostic testing, consultation services and family and individual counseling that is behaviorally based.

## Desired Applicant Traits:

- Applied behavior analysis background
- Collaborative
- Dedicated
- Eager/ambitious
- Flexible
- Reliable
- Strong Communication skills

## Essential Job Functions:

- Conduct comprehensive psychological and psychoeducational evaluations for children ages 2 through 16, who present with symptoms of autism, developmental disabilities, ADHD, behavioral difficulties, etc.
- Generate in-depth reports that provide a complete picture of patient functioning and demonstrates thorough analysis of data, including standardized test results, clinical interviews, observation, and any other relevant information. These reports should be generated in a timely manner for a prescheduled feedback.
- Develop and present an extensive list of positive, constructive and concrete recommendations (based on behavior principals) to assist patients with a diagnosis.

- Conduct detailed assessment feedback appointments both individually, and with a diagnostic team to ensure patients and/or families understand reports and recommendations.
- Counsel and provide ongoing treatment for families whose children are affected with autism, developmental disabilities, ADHD, etc. that includes supports that are behaviorally based.
- Collaborate and function as a vital part of a multi-disciplinary team.
- Provide leadership in a multi-disciplinary team, including educators, staff, parents and other professionals to accomplish assessment and treatment goals.
- Promote and grow the psychology assessment and treatment clientele for Mitchell's Place.
- Work with insurance companies and Mitchell's Place staff to provide as much coverage for families.

### **Position Requirements**

- Education: PH. D or PsyD in Clinical Psychology from an APA Accredited Program, completion of an APA Accredited Internship
- License status: Licensed or license-eligible as a psychologist in Alabama
- Strongly recommend: Board Certified Behavior Analyst license

### **Salary/Benefits**

- Salary commensurate with experience and can be negotiated.
- 5 weeks of paid time off plus the ability to accumulate sick and vacation leave
- Percentage of health insurance covered
- Competitive dental, vision, life and short-term disability insurance
- Evaluation and scoring materials provided
- Paid CEUs
- Contract services can be an option, but full-time employment is preferred

### **If interested, please contact:**

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