



**Women's Health In Women's Hands**  
Community Health Centre  
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The Mandate of Women's Health in Women's Hands (WHIWH) Community Health Centre is to provide primary healthcare to racialized women from the African, Black, Caribbean, Latin American and South Asian communities in Toronto and surrounding municipalities. We are committed to working from an inclusive feminist, pro-choice, anti-racist, anti-oppression, and multilingual participatory framework in addressing the issue of access to healthcare for our mandated priority populations encompassing gender, gender identity, race, class, violence, sexual orientation, religion, culture, language, disability, immigration status and socio-economic circumstances.

The Centre offers the following opportunity for a professional, motivated and dynamic individual to join the team.

**MENTAL HEALTH THERAPIST**  
**Full-Time - Permanent**

The Mental Health Therapist shall work within the mandate of Women's Health in Women's Hands  
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**SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES INCLUDE:**

- Provide evidence based, counselling/therapy to individuals and groups using Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy (CBT)
- Perform psychosocial assessment and counselling/therapy to groups and the community.
- Maintains enthusiastic, passionate and self-driven work ethic
- Participate in professional development, including completion of required coursework and participation in consultation
- Strong capability in making behavioral observations, monitoring clients' responses to care interventions and documentation, and ongoing communication with other team members and primary care partners
- Strong knowledge of the social determinants of health and issues that impact racialized communities
- Participate in the development, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of treatment, education, counselling and health promotion programs and services for individuals, groups and the community
- Initiate and coordinate participate in program and chart review and case conferencing with a continuous quality improvement (QI) focus
- Ensures that required documentation is completed and available in the client's health record in a timely manner that meets professional standards of practice
- Perform clinical supervision as directed.
- Perform other duties as assigned

## **QUALIFICATIONS:**

1. Masters degree in psychology, social work or occupational therapy combined with a minimum of 3 years of post-graduate, direct clinical (psychotherapy) experience in the provision of mental health and/or addictions treatment.
2. Must have experience utilizing CBT and preference will be given to those who hold certificates/certification. DBT is an asset
3. Must be in good standing with a recognized professional college.
4. Additional supervised clinical training
5. Three to five years counselling/therapy experience; preferably in a community health setting.
6. Proficiency in current assessment, psychotherapy, and psychosocial counselling techniques for working with individuals, groups and communities
7. Experience in program development, implementation, monitoring and evaluation
8. Proficiency in the use of computers and various software applications
9. In addition to English, knowledge of a language spoken within one of the four priority communities, an asset

Women's Health In Women's Hands offers a competitive salary and benefits, along with a multidisciplinary team environment where work-life balance is valued and practiced.

## **APPLICATION PROCESS:**

To apply for this challenging opportunity in a dynamic organization please forward your resume and cover letter with the subject line: **Mental Health Therapist** to the attention of:

**Human Resources Department  
Women's Health in Women's Hands Community Health Centre  
2 Carlton St. Suite 500  
Toronto, ON  
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**-Or**

**[recruitment@whiwh.com](mailto:recruitment@whiwh.com)**

**-or-**

**Fax: 647-724-3451**

Posting Date: **May 20, 2021**

Closing Date: **June 3, 2021 or until Filled**

Please send a single file in MS Word or PDF format only.

WHIWH is committed to reflecting the diversity of the communities it serves and we strongly encourage applicants who reflect Toronto's ethnic and cultural diversity and our priority populations. We welcome and encourage applications from all qualified candidates  
Accommodation will be provided on request

**We thank all applicants for their interest; however,  
only those selected for an interview will be contacted.**