



**Women's Health In Women's Hands**  
Community Health Centre  
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**MENTAL HEALTH THERAPIST**  
**Permanent – Full-time**

WHIWH CHC provides racialized women, trans and non-binary clients from the African, Black, Caribbean, Latin American, and South Asian communities in Toronto and surrounding municipalities with culturally safe, relevant, and responsive primary healthcare. We are changemakers engaged in knowledge transfer and exchange, research, capacity building, and advocacy within and across multiple systems.

**RESPONSIBILITIES:**

1. Perform counselling/therapy for clients with complex client presentation one-on-one, with groups and in community using client-centered, therapeutic modalities
2. Develops therapeutic, psychoeducational, programs and groups
3. Conducts trauma-informed biopsychosocial assessments
4. Assist in client crisis and suicide intervention
5. Act as a client advocate on individual and systemic issues
6. Strong knowledge of the social determinants of health and issues that affect racialized communities
7. Participate in the development, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of treatment, education, counselling and health promotion programs and services for individuals, groups and the community
8. Engage community groups and networks in support of community initiatives
9. Ensures that required documentation is completed and available in the client's health record in a timely manner that meets professional standards of practice
10. Initiate and coordinate participation in programs
11. Chart review and case conferencing with a continuous quality improvement (QI) focus
12. Maintains enthusiastic, passionate and self-driven work ethic
13. Perform clinical supervision as directed

## **QUALIFICATIONS:**

1. Master's degree in counselling, psychotherapy or social work and/or equivalent combination of education and experience
2. Must be in good standing with a recognized professional college
3. Three to five years counselling/therapy experience; preferably in a community health setting
4. Strong working knowledge of trauma, violence and addictions within an intersectional context
5. Experience in program development, implementation, monitoring and evaluation
6. Proficiency in current assessment, psychotherapy, and psychosocial counselling techniques for working with individuals, groups and communities
7. Strong working knowledge of racialized women, trans and non-binary clients' health challenges and concerns
8. Proficiency in the use of computers and various software applications
9. Proficiency in Spanish an asset

## **REPORTING**

This position reports to the Manager, Population Health

## **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:

**Women's Health in Women's Hands Community Health Centre**  
**Human Resources Department**  
[recruitment@whiwh.com](mailto:recruitment@whiwh.com)

## **APPLICATION DEADLINE**

Posted: November 28, 2022

Closing Date: December 9, 2022

**COMPENSATION** based on experience and qualification or \$60,747 with an annual step progression to a maximum of \$73,191

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

WHIWH is working towards gender equity in pay

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

WHIWH has a Covid-19 Vaccination Policy that requires employees to take part in COVID-19 vaccination programs recommended by public health authorities, unless approved for an exemption request under the Ontario Human Rights Code. Compliance with this policy is mandatory for this position.