

THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND RECOVERY SERVICES



Special Projects Manager III

\$87,131 - \$130,686 Annually

Please apply by October 21, 2024



ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT

Stanislaus County Behavioral Health and Recovery Services is committed to behavioral health principles that are responsive to both mental health services and substance use disorders. Our scope of services includes, but is not limited to, inpatient and outpatient psychiatric services, substance use disorder services, behavioral education and prevention, public guardian functions and advocacy. We offer these services throughout Stanislaus County at Behavioral Health and Recovery Services managed sites and partner with community agencies, as well as other County departments.

THE IDEAL CANDIDATE

We seek an individual with experience in behavioral health disorders, demonstrating expertise and professionalism in cross-system collaboration, partnership building, service quality improvement, and effective project management. Knowledge of behavioral health programming standards, including both substance use disorders and mental health services, under the Department of Health Care Services is essential.



Interested in learning more about the Behavioral Health and Recovery Services Department?

Scan the QR code or visit https://www.stancounty.com/bhrs/

THE POSITION

As a key member of the Behavioral Health and Recovery Services Administration Team, the Project Manager will coordinate, plan, and oversee processes to ensure timely project delivery and desired outcomes. Reporting to the Behavioral Health Director or designee, the Manager III will lead new projects involving mandates, funding opportunities, and directives from Behavioral Health and Recovery Services' Executive Team & will collaborate on planning, implementation, and outcomes of multiple priority projects within our organization. Projects may include:

- California Advancing and Innovating Medi-Cal (CalAIM) initiatives
- Senate Bill 43
- Justice Involved Reentry Initiative
- Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) Department of Health Care Services Behavioral Health Information Notices
- Other behavioral health service initiatives and regulations

TYPICAL TASKS

- · Project planning, execution, and closure
- · Goal and scope identification
- · Task delegation and time management
- · Team building and resource management
- Stakeholder communication and feedback gathering
- Process documentation and progress monitoring
- Conducting regular meetings and ensuring topquality results
- Collaborative projects with service providers and community partners
- Compliance with laws, regulations, and organizational policies
- Staff training on policies and procedures
- Proficiency in data collection methods and quantitative assessments
- Performance assessment and improvement
- Budget recommendations and expenditure oversight
- Representation at statewide meetings and administrative efforts
- Ability to gather, organize and analyze both qualitative and quantitative data to inform decision-making and project outcomes
- Familiarity with statistical analysis techniques and methodologies
- Strong attention to detail and accuracy in data collection and reporting
- Experience in designing data collection instruments and protocols
- Ability to interpret data findings and communicate insights effectively to stakeholders
- Knowledge of privacy and confidentiality regulations related to data collection and analysis in behavioral health settings
- Experience with program evaluation and outcome measurement methodologies
- Ensure programs maintain fiscal integrity through efficient use of resources
- Actively support Department and County vision, mission and values

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

KNOWLEDGE

- Customer and Personal Service Knowledge of principles and processes for providing customer and personal services. This includes customer needs assessment, meeting quality standards personal services. This includes customer needs assessment, meeting quality standards
- Clinic Operations Knowledge of clinic workflow and quality improvement efforts in a healthcare setting
- Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Basic understanding of social determinants, health disparities, health, and racial equity
- Education and Training Knowledge of principles and methods for curriculum and training design, teaching and instruction for individuals and groups, and the measurement of training effects
- Fiscal Administration and Management Budget planning and Public sector Financial Management
- Management & Leadership Knowledge of effective leadership, direction and supervision.
 Principles of people management training, coaching, mentoring, and performance evaluations including quality performance management and results-based accountability
- Law and Government Knowledge of laws, legal codes, court procedures, precedents, government regulations, executive orders, agency rules, and the democratic political process
- Public Health Services Principles and practices of public health including organization, management, and staffing
- Project Management Knowledge of principals and practices for Project Management and techniques of assessing workflow output
- Sociology and Anthropology Knowledge of group behavior and dynamics, societal trends and influences, human migrations, ethnicity, cultures, and their history and origins

SKILLS/ABILITIES

- Active Learning Understanding the implications of new information for both current and future problem-solving and decision-making
- Complex Problem Solving Identifying complex problems and reviewing related information to develop and evaluate options and implement solutions
- Federal, State, and local laws
- Judgment and Decision Making Considering the relative costs and benefits of potential actions to choose the most appropriate one
- Learning Strategies Selecting and using training /instructional methods and procedures appropriate for the situation when learning or teaching new things
- Management of personnel resources Motivating developing, and directing people as they work, identifying the best people for the job
- Monitoring Assessing performance of yourself, other individuals, or organizations to make improvements or take corrective action
- Negotiation Bringing others together and trying to reconcile differences
- Presentation Creating and presenting to large audiences
- Service Orientation Actively looking for ways to help people
- Strategic Planning Establish goals and objectives, participate in strategic planning and outcome measurement
- Systems Evaluation Identifying measures or indicators of system performance and the actions needed to improve or correct performance, relative to the goals of the system
- Systems Analysis Determining how a system should work and how changes in conditions, operations, and the environment will affect outcomes
- Time Management Manage tasks appropriately to accommodate multiple deadlines.

EDUCATION & EXPERIENCE

PATTERN I

- Licensure as a Clinical Social Worker, Marriage Family Therapist, or Professional Clinical Counselor; AND
- Possess at least one (1) year of experience as a Supervisor or Program Coordinator in a large public or private human services organization.

PATTERN II

 Possess at least one (1) year of experience comparable to a Manager II in a large public or private human services organization.

PATTERN III

- Possess three (3) years of experience as a Manager in a large public or private human services organization performing the work described above; AND
- Bachelor's degree in Human Services, Chemical Dependency and Addiction, Psychology, or a related field.

Progressively responsible experience in a related field may be substituted for the required education on a year for year basis.

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS

In addition to the minimum qualifications, applicant screening may focus on the following desirable qualification.

- Possession of a Master's degree in finance, business or public administration.
- One (1) year experience with data management and assessment tools/software (e.g., Excel, SPSS, SAS, R, Tableau); AND
- One (1) year experience with electronic health records (EHR) systems/data analysis.

Proof of education will be required for verification purposes at the time of application. Applicants who are unable to submit proof must call (209) 525-7339 to make other arrangements. Failure to submit proof will result in disqualification.



*EMPLOYEE CHOICE BONUS PLAN ALLOWS ELIGIBLE EMPLOYEES TO RECEIVE A BONUS WORTH \$5,000-\$10,000 OVER THREE ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS

YOU CHOOSE:

One month's worth of

Scan the QR code with a camera app to watch the Employee Choice Bonus Plan video!





Cash Payout

Redo that kitchen or paydown debt.

It's all yours.



Leave Time Take a little extra time

off and enjoy yourself.

You've earned it.



Deferred Compensation

Reduce some taxable income and receive it later.

Why not?







Employee Choice Bonus Plan



JOIN OUR TEAM BY JUNE 30TH, 2025 TO BE ELIGIBLE!

The following Employee Choice Bonus Plan is designed to allow eligible employees, current active full-time employees or those hired full-time on or before June 30, 2025, to choose one of the three bonus incentive options (one-time option, non-revocable) they would like to receive:



(Default if employee declines to make a choice)

- One month of salary (168 hours) paid in cash over three annual installments at the highest step or top of band of the classification held by the employee at each vesting date.
- Minimum amount of each payment will be \$1,666.67 and a maximum payment of \$3,333.37 (base hourly rate of pay for the classification multiplied by 56). The amount of each payment may change depending upon an employee's individual circumstances.
- Total minimum amount received will be \$5,000.01 and maximum will be \$10,000.02 paid over three installments.
- Applicable taxes will be applied and withheld.



- 168 hours of bonus leave time allocated within three annual installments.
- Bonus Leave Time would be administered in the same capacity as standard vacation including compensation rate, request and approval, and reporting expectations.
- Bonus Leave Time will have no cash value and cannot be cashed out at resignation, termination, or retirement.
- Must use the bonus leave time prior to the expiration date, as there is no carry over after the bonus leave time expires.



- One month of salary (168 hours) paid over three annual installments into the employee's Nationwide Deferred Compensation account at the highest step or top of band of classification held by the employee at each vesting date.
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Eligibility for Employee Choice Bonus Plan



- Must be an active full-time employee on each vesting date and during the pay period of the payment date to receive
 each payment.
- Full-time employees on an unprotected unpaid leave on the vesting date are ineligible for that specific payment.
- Employees that separate from full-time service prior to a vesting date will no longer be eligible for that specific payment.
- Employees that receive one or two payments, separate from full-time service and then return to full-time service are excluded from eligibility to receive further payments of any kind.
- Employees that leave full-time service prior to receiving any payments, and then return to full-time service on or before June 30, 2025, are eligible to receive future payments in accordance with their new hire date.



COMPENSATION & BENEFITS

Approximate Annual Base Salary: \$87,131-\$130,686 Annually

The County of Stanislaus provides a competitive and comprehensive benefits package for regular full-time County Managers including:

- Excellent retirement benefits (2% at approximately age 62 formula)
- Medical, dental, vision, and basic term life insurance plans
- County paid Deferred Compensation at 1.5% of base salary
- Accrual of 2-weeks annual vacation upon entering County service
- 32 additional vacation hours annually
- 56 hours administrative/management leave per year (does not carry over)
- 96 hours of sick leave annually
- 12 paid holidays annually
- \$900 annual Professional Development reimbursement
- Car allowance upon Department Head approval
- Moving allowance recruited from outof-County
- Disability protection
- Optional participation in Flexible Spending Account programs
- Optional Supplemental Life & AD&D insurance plans
- Employee Assistance Program

Details available upon request

RECRUITMENT INCENTIVES:

Employee Choice Bonus Plan:

Stanislaus County now offers an employee bonus worth up to \$10,000 or 21 additional days of leave time! Visit stanjobs.org for details.

Career Ladders:

We offer valuable tools to help plan your career with Stanislaus County. Find ways to grow and develop within the organization—from Accounting to Public Safety to IT.

Learning Institute:

Whether you're a new employee or looking to acquire new skills, our Learning Institute offers a chance to take on new challenges and ways to consistently hone and improve skills.

WELLNESS BENEFITS

The Mission of Club Wellness is to facilitate and encourage the "good health" of the county workforce.

"Good health" is a state of complete physical, social and mental well-being, and not merely the absence of disease or infirmity; health is a resource for everyday life, not the object of living, and is a positive concept emphasizing social and personal resources as well as physical capabilities. The program seeks to increase awareness and knowledge of all employee benefits, nurture a team spirit and positive health behaviors. to motivate employees to adopt healthier habits and to provide opportunities and a supportive environment to create positive lifestyle changes.



CLASSIFICATION INFORMATION

Unless otherwise provided, this position is part of the Unclassified Service of the County and is considered "atwill" and is designated Management for labor relations purposes.

The individual selected will participate in the Stanislaus County Pay-for-Performance program, as well as receive additional benefits.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES/FINAL FILING DATE: APPLY BY October 21, 2024

Oral Examinations are tentatively scheduled for the week of October 28, 2024 or November 4, 2024.

Applications cannot be submitted later than 5:00 p.m. on the final filing date. Make your online application as complete as possible so a full and realistic appraisal may be made of your qualifications.

Resumes will not be accepted in lieu of a completed application.

Attaching your resume and cover letter are an optional feature for those who wish to do so in addition to completing the required application. Information on your resume and cover letter will not substitute for the education, work experience and required fields on the County application. The online County application is the primary tool used to evaluate your job qualifications.

RECRUITMENT ACCOMMODATIONS

Arrangements may be made to accommodate disabilities and religious convictions. Applicants requiring testing accommodations are required to complete and submit the Testing Accommodations Request Form prior to the test administration date. Special arrangements for religious convictions should be included in the "Additional Information" section of the application form.

GENERAL QUALIFICATIONS

- Pass County-paid pre-employment job-related background investigation.
- Perform job duties in a manner assuring a safe working environment for oneself and others.
- Maintain confidential information according to the legal standards and/or County regulations as required.

APPLICATION AND/OR EXAMINATION APPEAL RIGHTS

Application and/or examination results may be appealed by applicants presenting facts alleging irregularity, fraud and/or error in application screening or in exam scoring. Appeals must be in writing and submitted to the Chief Executive Officer within seven (7) days after the examination results are mailed.

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