



BAY CLIFF HEALTH CAMP

Children's Summer Therapy Camp

Student Therapist (OTS, SPT, SSLP) : Seasonal

RESPONSIBLE TO: Clinical Instructor/Fieldwork Educator; Therapy Director

Student therapists are responsible for the evaluation and treatment of campers based on their area of practice while integrating into the camp environment with the support and guidance of their Clinical Instructor/Fieldwork Educator. Using our push-in therapy model, student therapists facilitate therapy across camp: in the cabins, at meals, during activities, etc. under the supervision of their Clinical Instructor. Students are encouraged to be creative, playful, and engaging with campers.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

Must be:

- Dependable and mature.
- Positive, enthusiastic, and patient with children.
- Able to work independently, but also cooperatively as a member of a team, under the direction of the Therapy Director.
- A student in an applicable therapy field (occupational therapy, physical therapy, speech/language pathology).
- At an applicable point in their educational process.
- From a university with an existing clinical affiliation to Bay Cliff Health Camp or a university willing to enter an affiliation agreement.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

Ability to:

- Carry out all physical requirements for Bay Cliff Health Camp Safety Plan.
- Move safely across uneven surfaces.
- Sit/stand for long periods of time.
- Transport light to moderate objects short distances.
- Lift light objects from one level to another.
- Make healthy decisions to promote physical and emotional stamina.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Develop and implement a therapy program attainable within a 7-week timeline with the support and guidance of the Clinical Instructor/Fieldwork Educator.
 - Week 1: Evaluation Week; begin reports

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- Weeks 2-6: Treatment (individual sessions, groups, and co-treats)
 - Week 7: Re-Evaluation; reports due
- Complete documentation in a timely manner in accordance with set deadlines as required within setting.
 - Must complete one comprehensive report about each child on caseload (including campers who go home early).
- Participate in camp life.
- Participate in orientation week, including all mandatory sessions, and complete chart reviews for assigned caseload.
- Meet with each camper on caseload and their families during opening weekend.
- Evaluate/assess each camper on caseload and determine frequency of service.
- Together with the therapy department, determine schedule for treatment during morning and afternoon treatment times.
 - Treatment may also include mealtimes, sessions in cabins, and activities around camp as appropriate in accordance with our 'Push-In Therapy Model'.
- Utilize a combination of individual, group, and co-treatment to help campers reach their goals by the end of camp.
- Make-up missed treatment time as schedule allows.
- Communicate with other members of the team who support the children on your caseload, including expected times of service.
- Serve as a positive role model by demonstrating respect, kindness and inclusivity.
- Embrace the non-traditional therapy setting by engaging campers in a variety of ways across camp (ex. in activities, aquatics, biking, at mealtimes, kayaking, etc.)
- Encourage campers to try new activities to build confidence.
- Check in on and collaborate with staff working with campers on your caseload regularly and make suggestions for adaptation accordingly.
- Train counselors and staff as needed on use of equipment, safety, techniques etc.
- Track data on camper goals.
- Attend all departmental meetings (Daily Porch Debrief, Daily Department Meetings, Rehab Team Meetings [RTMs], Therapy Activities Program Meetings [TAPs], etc.).

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- Attend Problem Solving Team Meetings [PSTs] for campers on caseloads as invited.
- Participate in camp activities which includes but is not limited to:
 - Eat three meals a day with campers and staff during all workdays (breakfast, dinner, and supper).
 - Assist in various nighttime activities, weekend activities, and special events.
 - Provide coverage in units as assigned including covering for counseling staff during afternoon and evening rest periods.
- Keep personal quarters clean and orderly.
- Keep therapy areas clean and orderly.
- Complete one report for each camper on caseload.
- Meet with families on the closing day of camp.
- Comply with all check out/departure procedures.
- Complete other duties as assigned.