UNIVERSITY of HOUSTON GRADUATE COLLEGE of SOCIAL WORK

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Job Title	Social Worker MSW - LCC Case Mgt
Employer/ Agency	The University of Texas Medical Branch
Job Description	JOB DESCRIPTION:
	The Social Worker MSW intervenes with patients who have complex psychosocial needs, economic co-morbidities, require assistance with eligibility determination for social programs and funding sources, and qualify for community assistance. To promote patient-centered care, the Social Worker MSW provides care that is respectful of and responsive to individual patient preferences, needs, and values, and ensures that patient values guide all decisions. Supports compliance with treatment protocols and assists with resource linkage as part of a multidisciplinary healthcare team.
	Job Duties:
	Psychosocial Assessment and Interventions
	 Based on preliminary risk screening, assess patient and family psychosocial risk factors through evaluation of prior functioning levels, appropriateness and adequacy of support systems, adjustment to illness, and ability to cope Intervene with patients and families regarding emotional, social, financial, and environmental concerns of illness and/or disability; access and mobilize family and community resources to meet identified needs. Provide intervention in cases involving child abuse and neglect; domestic violence; abuse, neglect, or exploitation of the elderly and disabled; and sexual assault. Serve as a resource for and provide support and intervention related to treatment decisions and end-of-life issues. Advocate for patient and family empowerment and independence to make autonomous health care decisions and access needed services within the health care system.
	Complex Discharge Planning
	 Involves patients in all decisions affecting the discharge plan of care. Participates in discharge planning activities for complex patients, in order to ensure a timely discharge and to provide appropriate linkage with post discharge care providers. Intervenes with families exhibiting complex family dynamics that impact directly on patient care and discharge. Communicates with care coordinators regarding the discharge planning status of all patients referred by them. Assists Case Managers with discharge planning activities, as requested.

	Salary Range:
	Actual salary commensurate with experience.
Qualifications	Minimum Qualifications:
	Master's degree in Social Work or related field; 2 years' experience required. Must be licensed to practice as a Social Worker in Texas (LBSW, LMSW, LCSW).
Salary/Hours	Salary Range:
	Actual salary commensurate with experience.
	Work Schedule:
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Opening Date	Immediately

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