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**University of Houston
Graduate College of Social Work**

JOB OPPORTUNITY POSTING

- Job Title:** Public School Counselor (3 positions in various locations)
- Employer/Agency:** Spurwink Services (Lewiston, Portland or Turner, ME)
- Job Description:**
- Provide individual client therapy.
 - Provide family work, home-based or office-based, as appropriate to include family treatment and informational exchange.
 - Know and comply with program policies and procedures.
 - Maintain a current Maine driver's license and a clean driving record as outlined in Spurwink's Driving Policy.
 - Maintain current Client records and documentation according to Spurwink and licensing standards.
 - Participate in monthly/weekly supervision depending on licensure requirements and keep Supervisor apprised immediately of emergencies, situations that require mandated reporting.
 - Understand and manage the unique dynamics created by the public/private partnership and become knowledgeable about the procedural guidelines and expectations of working within the public school environment as a Spurwink representative.
 - Manage and monitor Mainecare usage and private insurance coverage for client caseload.
 - Consult with and coordinate services with public school staff.
 - Participate in case review conferences including assessments, treatment plans, and quarterly reviews which are reviewed with a clinical supervisor.
 - When clinically appropriate, clinicians will work with classroom teachers to create therapeutic interventions that could be used in the school

- environment.
- Adhere to Spurwink and mental health licensing standards re: confidentiality, Client rights, etc.
 - Clinician Counselor – Public School Counseling
 - And those other assignments appropriate to the position as determined by the Clinical Supervisor and/or Regional Coordinator.

Qualifications:

Minimum Education Requirements: Master's level Social Work or related degree from an accredited school. Maine state licensure of at least LMSW/LCPC level.

Minimum Experience Requirements: Direct experience in a field related to Spurwink programming and related training and licensure shall be required.

Salary/Hours:

Fee for service

Employer/Agency:

Spurwink Services

City, State, Zip:

Portland, ME

Application Method:

Apply online at
<http://spurwink.iapplicants.com/searchjobs.php>

Opening Date:

Immediately

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