



University of Connecticut
School of Social Work

Research Professor

The School of Social Work at the University of Connecticut invites applications for the position of Research Professor to assume the role of Director of Research at the Connecticut Department of Mental Health & Addiction Services (CT DMHAS) in Hartford. Teaching is not required, and this appointment does not lead to tenure. The position is slated to begin in August of 2011.

The School of Social Work has a unique relationship with CT DMHAS. Through a Memorandum of Agreement, the incumbent develops federal and private foundation grant proposals for studies that are important to policy and practice in the public system of adult behavioral health, and manages a team of investigators and other research staff.

Minimum Qualifications: Ph.D. in a Social Science such as Social Work, Psychology, Sociology, Economics, or other relevant discipline; and a record of external funding including grants from the National Institutes of Health, a record of publication in the area of behavior health, and scholarship in mental health and/or addictions, as Principal Investigator.

Preferred Qualifications: Senior researcher with experience and publications in multiple areas of behavioral health, such as housing, criminal justice, and implementation of evidence-based practice. Willingness and ability to conduct program evaluation as well as research trials. Demonstrated ability to mentor new investigators. Strong interpersonal skills and leadership traits, with the ability to represent CT DMHAS and the School of Social Work in partnerships with state and community agencies serving adults with behavioral health disorders.

Appointment Term. This is a full-time, non-tenure-track position subject to annual renewal. The successful candidate's primary academic appointment will be at the School of Social Work in West Hartford, but the research laboratory is based at CT DMHAS in Hartford. Salary will be commensurate with background, qualifications, and experience. Expected start date is August 1, 2011.

To Apply: Please visit Husky Hire at www.jobs.uconn.edu to submit a cover letter, curriculum vitae, and representative publications. In addition, three letters of reference should be sent directly via postal mail to: Faculty Search Committee, Search # 2011481, University of Connecticut School of Social Work, 1798 Asylum Avenue, West Hartford, CT 06117-2698. Screening of applicants will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled.

The University of Connecticut is an EEO/AA employer. The University actively solicits applications from minorities, women, and people with disabilities.