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

JOB OPPORTUNITY POSTING

Job Title: LCSW

Employer/Agency: Metrocare

Job Description: Metrocare is North Texas' leading nonprofit dedicated to helping people with mental illness, developmental disabilities and severe emotional problems live healthier lives. Metrocare provides a comprehensive array of individually-tailored services to help the people we serve towards meaningfully and satisfying lives.

Metrocare was chartered in May of 1967, first served people in 1968, and continues to be the largest and best provider of services to people with mental illness, as well as disabilities.

The LCSW coordinates services and provides community-based psychosocial rehabilitation therapeutic services to individuals or groups of consumers assigned to a specific treatment team. As an effective member of the treatment team, the LCSW participates in treatment team meetings, interacts with assigned consumers, documents behavioral interventions, and works cooperatively with other team members to provide services, which ameliorate symptoms of mental illness for consumers assigned to the team.

The LCSW also interacts with the consumer's family members and other providers in the community as appropriate to ensure that the consumer's needs are being met. May perform functional assessments of consumer strengths, needs and resources to determine appropriate teaching/learning expectations and to analyze mastery of skills.

Qualifications: LCSW, or LMSW-ACP (Texas); Master's Degree in Social Work, with 1 to 3 years of experience working in community mental health desired. Basic knowledge of diagnostic characteristics, symptomology of primary mental illness and knowledge of medications, side effects and benefits to provide services in a person-centered, supportive, community-based environment.

Salary/Hours: Salary DOE; Full-time

Employer/Agency: Metrocare
Address: 1380 River Bend Drive
City, State, Zip: Dallas, TX 75247-4914

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Application Method: Please go online to www.metrocareservices.org/careers and send application to careers@mtorcareservices.org

Opening Date: Immediately

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