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Job Title	Therapist / Counselor – Discovering Choices / Center for Recovering Families
Employer/ Agency	The Council on Recovery
Job Description	The Therapist / Counselor provides independent clinical services within the Discovering Choices and Center for Recovering Families programs. This role functions fully as a clinical counselor, leading therapy groups, delivering structured curriculum, and providing individualized care to clients in an intensive outpatient setting in the Discovering Choices and Center for Recovering Families programs. The ideal candidate is highly self-directed, capable of working independently, and committed to delivering evidence-based interventions that support long-term recovery.
	Key Responsibilities
	 Serve as a fully licensed LCDC and/or counselor, providing individual and group therapy. Lead structured groups and deliver curriculum designed for recovery and skill-building. Conduct comprehensive assessments, develop individualized treatment plans, and monitor client progress. Maintain accurate, timely, and confidential clinical documentation in compliance with agency and regulatory requirements. Collaborate with other clinical staff and program leadership to ensure continuity of care and client success. Demonstrate independent decision-making and self-direction in managing clinical responsibilities. Participate in ongoing professional development, supervision, and team meetings as required.
Qualifications	Qualifications
	 Bachelor's or Master's degree in Counseling, Social Work, Psychology, or a related field. Fully licensed LCDC in the State of Texas; no provisional licensure accepted unless the candidate already holds an LCDC. Minimum two (2) years of clinical experience in substance use treatment mental health counseling, or IOP programs. Proven ability to work independently while maintaining collaboration with program leadership and staff. Strong group facilitation skills and experience delivering structured treatment curriculum. Excellent interpersonal, communication, and documentation skills. Knowledge of trauma-informed care, co-occurring disorders, and

	recovery-oriented practices.
	Preferred Qualifications
	 Experience in intensive outpatient programs or recovery-focused group facilitation. Bilingual (English/Spanish) highly desirable. Commitment to The Council on Recovery's mission, values, and community-based approach.
Salary/Hours	\$70,000/annual Hours: 8am – 5pm (some flexibility) In Office 5 days a week
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Opening Date	Immediately

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