



Our Future Starts  
With *you!*

**POSITION:** Supervising Psychiatric Nurse (HELPS)

**DEPARTMENT:** Albany County Department of Mental Health

**SALARY:** \$85,587

### **BENEFITS:**

- ▶ Generous Paid Time-Off
- ▶ NYS Retirement System
- ▶ Work-Life Balance
- ▶ Health, Dental, Vision and Hearing
- ▶ Tuition Reimbursement
- ▶ Public Service Loan Forgiveness

### **DESCRIPTION:**

#### Integrated Clinic: \$85,587

This position is responsible for supervising and providing nursing services in the mental health clinic, as well as medical care for related conditions. The Supervising Psychiatric Nurse also coordinates the operation of nursing services with the psychiatric staff to ensure that the client's medical needs are evaluated and referred to the appropriate services.

#### Street Psychiatry: \$85.587

The new Street Psychiatry Pilot Program will provide behavioral health services to homeless or unhoused residents in Albany County. This position is responsible for supervising and providing some in-office nursing services, as well as medical care for related conditions. The Supervising Psychiatric Nurse also coordinates the operation of nursing services with the psychiatric staff to ensure that the client's medical needs are evaluated and referred to the appropriate services.

### **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: EITHER:**

- A. Graduation from an accredited college or university with at least a Bachelor's degree in nursing and two (2) years of experience in professional nursing involving psychiatric clients; *OR*,
- B. Graduation from a School of Nursing approved by the New York State Education Department from a course approved by such department and three (3) years of experience in professional nursing involving psychiatric clients.

### **SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:**

Currently licensed to practice as a Registered Professional Nurse.

**Please submit your resume and copies of certifications with this application.**

#### **POINT OF CONTACT FOR INQUIRIES:**

Cindy Hoffman

[Cindy.hoffman@albanycountyny.gov](mailto:Cindy.hoffman@albanycountyny.gov)

Candidates will not have to take an exam for this title. This is a Hiring Emergency Limited Placement (HELP) Program-designated title. The HELP Program is a temporary program designed to help local government employers address current staffing issues. Traditionally, the titles filled under the HELP Program required job candidates to compete in a competitive exam to be considered for employment. For the duration of the program, this title will be classified as non-competitive and categorized as a "HELP Program" position. At the close of the program, this position will revert to competitive class status. Employees occupying positions filled through the HELP Program will be granted competitive class status without the need to participate in a competitive exam.