

**Western Montana Mental Health Center**  
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**Position:** Crisis Stabilization Worker

**Close Date:** Open until Filled

**Hours:** Part Time

**Job Summary:** Under general supervision from the Hope House Operations Manager and Hope House Clinical Supervisor, this position provides crisis stabilization services to individuals with mental health crises and group home residents in need of 24-hour care. This position provides guidance with authorization for service, charting, and gives direction to other CSW staff.

**Essential Job Responsibilities:** CSW provides daily behavioral supervision of consumers in the crisis stabilization program assuring safety at all times. CSW will implement and follow consumer's treatment plan for recovery.

**SKILLS AND ABILITIES:** Ability to communicate information (orally and in writing) clearly, concisely and respectfully to clients, families, other professionals and agencies. Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships within the agency, clients, family members, and involved personnel from other agencies and professions. Ability to exercise professional judgment in evaluating situations and making decisions. Ability to apply effectively the required technical knowledge regarding mental illness and crisis intervention. Knowledge of the principles, procedures, techniques and trends in mental health crisis intervention and considerable knowledge of human behavior. Knowledge of the laws, rules and regulations regarding service to persons with acute mental illness and of the needs and problems of persons with mental illness. Knowledge of policies and procedures of agency providing treatment services. Knowledge of authorization for service, current charting protocols, and detailed needs of a shift.

**EDUCATION, EXPERIENCE & LICENSURE / CERTIFICATION:** The above knowledge, skills and abilities are typically acquired through an Associate of Arts degree and 1 year work experience in a mental health setting. Equivalent combinations of education and experience may be considered. Selection procedures to be used in evaluating applications may include evaluation of resume submitted, an oral interview and consideration of prior performance.