

Director of Counseling Services

College of Saint Mary seeks an engaging and attentive mental health professional to join the Student Development team to support the student community on the campus. The Director of Counseling Services is responsible for providing leadership in counseling and attending to the psychological and developmental needs of campus students by providing direct counseling and crisis intervention to students, while partnering with the CAP counseling service for supplementary student counseling support and education on campus.

Essential Functions

- Provide short-term psychological counseling to students, individually and in group sessions, to assist in overcoming dependencies, adjusting to transitions of college life, and coping with other mental health needs.
- Maintain contract and relationship with CHI Health's Counseling Assistance Program. Partner and collaborate
 with CHI Health counselors when shared expertise benefits our students, and/or when gender preference for
 counselor services contributes.
- Act as a liaison to provide consultation to Student Development offices, and other campus stakeholders, to
 address the mental health needs of students including interventions with mental health-related crises and
 emergencies.
- Develop and engage the campus on mental health issues of special interest to women a minimum of three times per semester through programs and "lunch and learns" including topics such as depression, suicide prevention, eating disorders, and more
- Engage the student and campus community and intentionally strive to build strong relationships with campus community members, especially students.
- Cultivate key community relationships with medical institutions, counseling agencies, and human services
 organizations for referral networking.
- Promote the availability of campus counseling services to increase visibility campus-wide.
- Develop, implement, maintain and periodically evaluate office policies and procedures related to services offered, crisis management, data collection, and government regulation.
- Document records appropriately and assess campus counseling services annually.
- Serve as a member of the Behavioral intervention team and represent Student Development on other campus committees, as assigned.

Required Education and Experience

 Must have a master's degree in mental health counseling, psychology, marriage and family, social work, or closely related field and must possess and maintain a license as a mental health practitioner in the state of Nebraska.

Preferred Education and Experience

- Previous work experience in a college mental health setting or with college-age persons or young adults.
- Experience providing group psychotherapy and risk assessment in an outpatient setting.
- Training and experience conducting workshops and/or outreach programming.

Application

Please apply using the following link. Please have a resume, cover letter and contact information for three professional references, including one supervisor ready to upload during the application process.

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