



Lead Practitioner - Tauranga based

Youth Horizons is a not for profit organisation which delivers a range of evidence-based interventions including family therapy, intensive residential and foster care services, and other community based services. The organisation is dedicated to providing solutions for families and young people who have behavioural, mental health and emotional difficulties. We are driven to achieve the best possible life outcomes and we are guided by our core values of Manaakitanga, Wairuatanga, Aroha, and Whanaungatanga

With our National office in Auckland, Youth Horizons has over 180 staff and specialist caregivers working in well supported and dynamic teams transforming the lives of children, young people, families and whanau across Northland, greater Auckland, Waikato, Bay of Plenty and Lower North Island.

We need someone extraordinary like you...

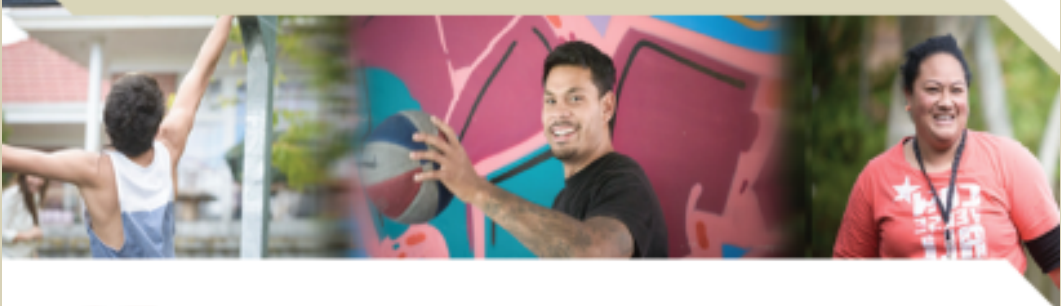
We are pleased to announce a rewarding role within our dynamic Bay of Plenty team for a full time mental health professional who is passionate about working with a caseload of children, young people and their families/whanau. You must be a registered health professional (Psychologist, Mental Health Nurse, Social Worker, or Occupational Therapist) under the Health Practitioners Competency Act and hold a current registration with your governing body.

In your clinical capacity you will be providing Triple P interventions and/or Cognitive Behaviour Therapy (CBT) to individuals and families. Your role will include assessments and interventions for infants, children and young people with mental health, emotional and behavioural needs in the Bay of Plenty region. The children and young people are known to the Child Youth and Family service and are referred through a District Health Board Gateway assessment. The purpose of the service is to provide an early intervention that enhances family stability and which prevents problems from escalating.

As an applicant you will have a sound understanding of child and adolescent development and experience in the assessment and treatment of children and adolescents with mental health, emotional and behavioural needs as well as experience working with Maori and in other culturally diverse community settings. The successful candidate would ideally be an experienced and trained in either CBT or Triple P level 4.

Please contact Corinne: corinnet@youthhorizons.org.nz or phone: 07 838 3671 to obtain a copy of job description and application form.

Applications close: 23rd August 2013



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