SCHOOL DISTRICT OF BRADFORD COUNTY JOB DESCRIPTION SCHOOL SOCIAL WORKER

QUALIFICATIONS:

- 1. Minimum of a Bachelor's Degree
- 2. Florida certification/licensure in Social Work
- Minimum of three (3) years as a School Social Worker or such alternatives or additions to the above as the Board may deem appropriate and necessary.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

Ability to identify and interpret family dynamics affecting a student's learning; ability to interact professionally with teachers, parents, therapists, doctors and other professional staff; ability to interview families and prepare adequate social history information as per professional and School Board directives; an understanding of basic child development; the ability to develop problem solving strategies to assist families, students, and school personnel; ability to serve the child and family, as well as a liaison between the child, family, and school; possess and exhibit effective interpersonal skills; possess and demonstrate effective written communication skills for record keeping and report writing.

REPORTS TO:

Assistant Superintendent

JOB GOAL:

To use recognized social work methods of social assessment, casework, family social work and community liaison to assist Bradford County students & families.

SUPERVISES:

N/A

PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES:

- 1. Establish a working relationship with community agencies.
- 2. Maintain thorough and accurate records.
- 3. Conduct interviews and assessments of needs.
- 4. Develop a plan of treatment and/or services.
- 5. Follow up on treatment service plans.
- 6. Serve as a child advocate always paying attention to the legal aspects.
- 7. Provide case management services.
- 8. Make home visits, if needed, to determine appropriate interventions for students.
- 9. Serve as a liaison between the school and other agencies.
- 10. Serve on the School Health Advisory Committee.

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11. Attend workshops, conferences, and training to remain current in policies and enhance ability.

Perform other incidental tasks consistent with the goals and objectives of this position.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

Light Work: Exerting up to 20 pounds of force occasionally and/or up to 10 pounds of force frequently as needed to move objects.

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:

Salary and benefits shall be paid consistent with the District's approved compensation plan. Length of the work year and hours of employment shall be those established by the District.

EVALUATION:

Performance of this job will be evaluated in accordance with provisions of the Board's policy on evaluation of personnel.

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*Essential Performance Responsibilities are Italicized

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