POSITION TITLE: Suicide Prevention Specialist/Project Coordinator  
EMPLOYER: Research Foundation for Mental Hygiene/New York State Psychiatric Institute  
LOCATION (City, State): New York, New York  

JOB DESCRIPTION

Suicide Prevention Specialist, Grade 26, Job #693749  
Location: New York State Psychiatric Institute, New York, NY  
Salary Range: $76,907.00 Plus $3,026.00 Location Pay  
Benefits: Full Benefits According to Percentage of Full-Time  
Employment Type: Full Time  
Division/Department: PI- Mental Health Services Research and Policy  
Description: New York State recognizes suicide as a serious statewide public health problem and accordingly has established suicide prevention as a top priority. Research has shown that suicide prevention and early intervention efforts are successful at saving lives. NY State’s mission is to reduce the number of suicides in the State through the dissemination of scientific knowledge to promote awareness of the risks and warning signs of suicide as well as effective means of intervention. The State is also working to implement the Zero Suicide strategy developed by the National Action Alliance for Suicide Prevention.  
Duties: Develop and implement innovative programs/interventions designed to reduce suicidal behavior. Conduct training webinars and take a primary role in organizing and leading learning collaboratives to implement improved identification and care of suicidal individuals. Develop and conduct training of clinicians in suicide risk assessment and intervention. Conduct evaluations and analyses of training and other relevant data. Prepare reports for internal use and publication. Supervise junior research and administrative Project staff. Assist the Director in all aspects of work.  
Qualifications: Doctoral degree in Clinical Psychology and relevant work experience. MSW will be considered if extensive relevant work experience. Incumbent must possess strong communication and organizational skills, attention to detail, and the ability to work independently. S/he must also have content knowledge of suicide prevention research and clinical experience with suicidal individuals. Knowledge of adult learning is helpful. Proficient in Microsoft Office including Excel, Word, Access and PowerPoint, and statistical analysis programs including SPSS or SAS required. Some travel within NY State will be required. The Research Foundation is a private not-for-profit corporation and is not an agency or instrumentality of the State of New York. Employees of the Research Foundation are not state employees, do not participate in any state retirement system, and do not receive state fringe benefits. CFR 60-300.5(a) compliant.  
Applications will only be accepted through website at: http://corporate.rfmh.org then click on Employment Opportunities. Applications will be accepted only during the posting dates as listed at http://rfmh.iapplicants.com/ViewJob-693749.html