



Educational or Clinical Psychologist - A Change for Better

Position Overview:

As an Educational or Clinical Psychologist for A Change for Better (ACFB), your professional standards align with the values and mission of ACFB. You will play a crucial role in providing high-quality ADHD and autism assessments to individuals who may not otherwise qualify for support or resources.

Key Responsibilities:

Assessment and Treatment:

- Conduct comprehensive mental health assessments to evaluate clients' needs, concerns, and goals.
- Utilise evidence-based assessment tools and clinical expertise to inform accurate diagnoses and treatment planning.
- Monitor and evaluate clients' progress, adjusting treatment plans as necessary to support their mental well-being.

Ethical and Professional Practice:

- Adhere to the professional codes of ethics and standards of practice relevant to your field and membership organisations.
- Maintain confidentiality and privacy in all interactions with clients, ensuring their rights and autonomy are respected.
- Stay informed about current research, best practices, and developments in the field of mental health therapy.
- Engage in ongoing professional development activities to enhance your knowledge and skills.

Collaborative Care:

- Collaborate with interdisciplinary teams, including other mental health professionals and peer support staff, to ensure holistic and coordinated care for clients.
- Communicate effectively with clients' healthcare providers, social services, and other relevant stakeholders to facilitate continuity of care.
- Participate in case conferences, team meetings, and clinical supervision to support collaborative decision-making and professional growth.

Documentation and Reporting:

- Maintain accurate and confidential client records, including assessments, treatment plans, progress notes, and other required documentation.
- Complete and submit reports and documentation as required by ACFB, funding bodies, and regulatory authorities.



- Ensure compliance with relevant legal and ethical requirements regarding record-keeping, data protection, and privacy.

Qualifications:

- Hold a minimum of a Master's Degree in Psychology and a Postgraduate Diploma in Educational or Clinical Psychology as well as be registered with the Psychology Board of NZ as an Educational or Clinical Psychologist.
- Registered to the New Zealand Psychological Society or the New Zealand College of Clinical Psychologists
- Knowledge and experience doing autism and ADHD assessments online.
- Maintain current and valid licensure or registration as required by the regulatory bodies in New Zealand.
- Demonstrate ongoing professional development through participation in relevant training, workshops, and conferences.
- Ability to pass a police check.
- Hold professional indemnity insurance.

Part-time and full-time positions available (hours negotiable/ flexible) based online or in your own private practice clinic room. Ability to increase hours as case load grows up to full time hours.

For more information about our organisation check out:

www.acfbfund.org.nz

www.achangeforbetter.com

Benefits include:

- Competitive pay
- 4% Kiwisaver match (depending on experience and qualifications)
- Paid Time Off and Sick Leave - Government Standards
- 2%/ 4% Salary sacrifice for an additional week or two of leave
- Ability to take an additional 4-weeks unpaid leave with reasonable notice
- Bonus program
- Flexible working hours - work from home opportunity