NOW HIRING

Mental Health Community Support Workers

No one can understand mental health challenges quite like someone who has faced them. Contra Costa Health is changing the way our county responds to people in a behavioral health crisis and people with lived experience will make this vision a reality.

A3 is an innovative approach to provide timely and appropriate behavioral health crisis services to *anyone*, *anywhere* at *anytime* in Contra Costa County. A3 team members triage crisis calls, provide field-based mental health crisis intervention and peer support; and connect people in crisis and their families to services.





We Are Hiring People Who:

- » Have lived experience you or a family member are living with a mental health condition or are in recovery from a mental health condition or substance use disorder
- » Are familiar with methods of wellness, recovery and resiliency in mental health and/or substance use
- » Have experience working and interacting with people from diverse cultural and linguistic groups
- » Are a graduate of SPIRIT, NAMI Basics or Family-to-Family, Alameda County BestNOW! or Community Action Marin Mental Health Peer Education Program

A Few Reasons You Might Love This Work:

- » You will be a powerful support for people on the path to recovery and their loved ones
- » You will be able to give people in crisis and their loved ones hope by sharing your experience

A Few Challenges You Might Face in This Work:

- » Mental health crisis intervention can be intense and overwhelming at times
- » It's essential to take care of yourself by managing stress and seeking support when needed

4/10/2023

