

St. Lawrence County Government  
Position Advertisement Form

St. Lawrence County Community Services Department is in search of:

**Senior Chemical Dependency Counselor**

Salary: \$59,583 with excellent benefits.

**Benefits:** Generous vacation and sick time allowance, Public Service Loan Forgiveness eligibility and the option to enroll in the St. Lawrence County's health insurance or opt out of the insurance and receive a buyout in the amount of \$2,000 for single coverage or \$4,000 for family.

This position exists in the St. Lawrence County Community Services Department and involves responsibility for the clinical supervision of Chemical Dependency Counselors and for providing direct rehabilitation treatment services to a limited number of chemical abusers. In addition, the Senior Chemical Dependency Counselor will identify and work to coordinate training needs for Counselors in the Chemical Dependency clinics. The work is performed under the general supervision of an administrative supervisor with leeway allowed for the exercise of independent judgment in carrying out details of the work. The incumbent performs related work as required.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:** (as dictated by OASAS regulations and recognized and documented by the New York State Division of Alcoholism and Alcohol Abuse)

- A) A Credentialed Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Counselor (CASAC) so recognized and documented by the New York State Division of Alcoholism and Alcohol Abuse or other QHP (as defined by OASAS); **AND**
- B) Graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered college or university with a Bachelor's degree ; **AND**
- C) 30 Hours of OASAS approved Clinical Supervision Foundations I & II training

**SPECIAL NOTE:** Current clinical supervisors who do not hold a bachelor's degree may apply to be grandparented. Eligible for grandparenting to CASAC Advanced Level during January 1, 2018 and December 31, 2020 upon submission of 4000 hours of clinical supervision work experience gained during the period of June 30, 2013 to June 30, 2018 AND certificate of completion for 30 hours of Clinical Supervision training (Clinical Supervision Foundations I & II training).

Additional Employment Information: **This is a provisional appointment. The successful applicant will need to take a civil service examination and score within the top three interested candidates in order to be permanently appointed.**

Applications accepted until position is filled.

You can apply online at <https://stlaw-portal.mycivilservice.com>.

Applications can also be obtained from the St. Lawrence County's website, <https://stlawco.gov/Departments/HumanResources> or by contacting Human Resources (315)379-2210.

Send application to:  
St. Lawrence County Human Resources Office  
48 Court Street  
Canton, NY 13617  
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