

**SOUTH MISSISSIPPI REGIONAL CENTER
VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT
June 20, 2018**

POSITION: MH-DIRECT CARE WORKER

WORK LOCATION: BILOXI COMMUNITY HOMES
GAUTIER COMMUNITY HOMES
LONG BEACH CAMPUS
POPLARVILLE COMMUNITY HOMES
WIGGINS COMMUNITY HOMES

SHIFT: 1st shift: 6:00 A.M. - 2:30 P.M.
2nd shift: 2:00 P.M. – 10:30 P.M.
3rd shift: 10:00 P.M. – 6:30 A.M.

MINIMUM PAY: \$20,020.28 Annually

CLASS CODE: 3426

RESPONSIBILITIES: This is semi-skilled level work in the care and supervision of consumers at a state mental health facility. Employees assist residents in all areas of physical care and assume total responsibility for the hygiene of consumers who are unable to independently perform such tasks. Other duties include general housekeeping assignments, participating in social and recreational activities for the residents, and writing nontechnical reports on consumer behavior and activity. General supervision is received from a Direct Care Supervisor, Alternate Supervisor, shift leader, or nursing supervisor; supervisory responsibilities are not assigned to positions allocated to this job class.

QUALIFICATIONS: A standard high school Diploma, or transcript, from an accredited four year high school or a state issued G.E.D. equivalent transcript. Or one year documented experience as a MH-Direct Care Trainee. Successful completion of DMH-MH-Direct Care Worker Certificate Program within 90days of hire date, as verified by SMRC. A valid MS Driver License, or license from a contiguous state, is required to work at the community homes. Community home staff must be eligible to drive a State vehicle once employed.

APPLICATION: Applicants may apply at South Mississippi Regional Center, Human Resources Department before 4:00 p.m. Monday-Friday.