

CHILDREN'S SERVICES – RECREATIONAL SPECIALIST

GENERAL POSITION INFORMATION

POSITION SUMMARY

The Recreational Specialist is full performance level work in developmental habilitation and rehabilitative treatment/support activities and/or programs for individuals or groups of individuals with developmental disabilities. Shares leadership responsibilities with coworkers in performance duties to fulfill work responsibilities. Mentors lesser skilled staff by providing individual supports and training.

Minimum Qualifications:

Education	Prefer Bachelor's Degree in Recreational Therapy; High School Diploma or Equivalent. <i>Children Services Only / In-service Requirements:</i> Successfully completed nine hours of additional in-service training.
Experience	Meet the requirements for a recreational specialist. Experience with developmental disabilities preferred.
Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Utilization of time management skills. • Interpret, apply and explain applicable rules and regulations. • Maintain confidentiality of individual served and staff. • Respond to requests and inquiries from the general public, family members and support team members. • Understand and follow instructions. • Establish and maintain effective working relationships.
Certifications	Current in MANDT, CPR, First Aid certification and Lifeguard certification <i>Requirements below will vary by program/position: Current LMC Drivers License, Pool Procedures, and Water/Pool Safety.</i>
Special Considerations	Special considerations include age requirements to meet state agency regulations and/or to meet insurance carrier requirements (i.e. KDOT, KDHE, Kansas CMS [PRTF]). Driving positions must maintain a good driving record. Achieved an overall score of above satisfactory on the performance evaluation AND all individual scores were 2.0 or higher.