We are hiring a Full Time Memory Care Specialist.

Summary:

The Memory Care Specialist shall implement Memory Care Programming in group and individual settings per the Memory Care Program Calendar.

Qualifications:

Minimum Bachelor's Degree in psychology, sociology or similar college of study.

Possess awareness of multi-sensory engagement.

Differentiates between clinical therapy and therapeutic programming.

Has physical stamina, mental abilities and emotional stability/maturity to handle high job stress; coordinate and implement programs and lead by example to fellow PCA staff.

Demonstrates genuine liking and respect of elderly.

Possesses good verbal and written communication skills.

Possesses good interpersonal skills including group dynamics and teamwork.

Responsibilities - Essential Job Functions:

Identify current residents who may benefit from/be appropriate for Memory Care Services to grow the Memory Care program.\

Serve as a dementia resource for both internal and external customers.

Conduct Memory Care Groups as scheduled, implementing the strategies of Applied Behavioral Analysis and the Montessori methods with a strength-based approach using the therapeutic programming as provided by Manager of Memory Care Services.

Maintain SBHS' reputation with strengths-based Memory Care Program.

Participate in SBHS marketing efforts including radio, video, and publication interviews.

Assume dementia training in services for staff and customers as assigned.

Provide supports to ensure maximum independence with ADLs, nutrition ie, verbal and physical prompting.

Conduct 1:1 supports as scheduled, ensuring that memory care residents that do not respond positively in a group setting have the opportunity for interpersonal engagement and cognitive stimulation.

Maintain compliance with governmental and facility regulations and policies including Resident Assessment Support Plans, chart audits.

Facilitate Dementia Support Groups and Memory Care Cafés.

Provide input as to resident's care plans with individualized tailoring.

Provide continuity of care ie, inform nursing of resident's physical/cognitive health.

Serve as a family liaison.

Maintain participation records, calculate participation percentages and forward daily updates to Manager of Memory Care Services.

Other duties as assigned by supervisor.

Must be able to lift at least 50 lbs.

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