

Job Title: Licensed Psychologist, Oregon Certified Forensic Evaluator

Location: Hybrid (mostly remote, must be located in Oregon)

Job Type: Part-time or full-time employee and contract positions

About Us:

Nexus Forensic and Psychological Services, LLC is a small private practice that provides court-involved psychological evaluations and consultation to legal professionals on a variety of psychological issues. We use only evidence-based assessment methods and strive to answer psycho-legal questions with thoroughness, efficiency, clarity, and integrity. The name Nexus represents our focus on both the intersection of law and psychology and the connection between each individual's mental health and their behavior. The Nexus team is highly supportive and presently includes three licensed psychologists, one predoctoral practicum student, and one executive assistant. We currently provide the following types of evaluations for adults involved with the criminal justice system:

- Fitness to Proceed with Adjudication of Charges
- Criminal Responsibility
- Diminished Capacity
- Sentencing-Mitigating or Aggravating factors
- Restoration of Firearm Privileges
- Risk Assessment
 - Violence
 - Psychosexual
 - ORS 426.701- Extremely Dangerous Persons with Qualifying Mental Disorder

We are happy to add team members with expertise in additional types of forensic evaluations, including juvenile evaluations.

Licensed Psychologist Position Overview:

We are seeking forensically trained psychologists who are licensed (or license eligible) in Oregon. We are open to both early career and more seasoned psychologists who are dedicated, thoughtful professionals. We will provide consultation, training, and support at the level needed for each team member.

The ideal candidate will have a strong foundation in forensic psychological assessment. If you are an early career psychologist or newer to forensic work, this position offers a unique opportunity for professional growth and development under the mentorship of an experienced psychologist.

Although Nexus is based in Eugene, OR, we provide services throughout the state of Oregon. Our psychologists often travel to meet with clients either in correctional facilities or the offices of the attorneys we work with. Remote evaluations via secure videoconference are also frequently used.

This position can be either a W-2 employee or 1099-contract. Position type will depend on your unique situation and the level of support required.

Key Responsibilities:

- Conduct comprehensive forensic evaluations of adults involved with the criminal justice system
- Administer, score, and interpret psychological tests and measures when needed
- Produce detailed and timely evaluation reports in accordance with ethical and legal standards
- Communicate effectively with attorneys, judges, colleagues, and clients
- Testify in court as an expert witness
- Participate in team meetings, ongoing training opportunities, and in continuous professional development to stay current with advancements in the field

Mandatory Qualifications:

- Doctoral degree (Ph.D. or Psy.D.) in psychology from an APA-accredited doctoral program
- Completion of an APA-accredited internship
- Active Oregon license or license-eligible
- Certification as a forensic evaluator in Oregon or certification eligible
- Strong foundation in psychological assessment, including cognitive, personality, and response style
- Commitment to provision of culturally informed assessments including for those with diverse ethnic and linguistic backgrounds, gender identities, and sexual orientations
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills
- Strong diagnostic skills
- Excellent attention to detail, strong organizational skills, and strong work ethic.
- Freedom from any criminal history
- Ability to work collaboratively within and across disciplines
- Commitment to ethical practice and ongoing professional development
- Must be able to organize and manage time well and independently

Preferred Qualifications:

- Experience working with a wide range of populations, most notably in a forensic capacity
- Familiarity with the Microsoft Product Suite

Benefits:

- Above market wages. Wage is hourly for W-2 employees or a percentage-split for 1099 contractors. Full-time W-2 employees have earning potential ranging from approximately \$175,000 to \$220,000 per year (with 4 weeks of time off) depending on level of experience
- Paid professional development and continuing education opportunities
- Travel time to out-of-town evaluations is paid at full rate and mileage reimbursement is provided
- Retirement benefits with 1% match (match amount will increase in approximately two years)
- Supportive and collaborative work environment
- Emphasis on work-life balance
- Ability to work from home, most days
- Highly flexible schedule: Ability to set own schedule and hours, including number of hours worked per week. Ability to easily schedule time off when needed or even work periodically while traveling
- Significant administrative support is provided
- All needed assessment materials and manuals are provided

Application Process:

Please reach out to Dr. Laurie Burke at Laurie.Burke@NexusFPS.com with any questions or for additional information about the positions. Interested candidates are invited to submit the following:

- A cover letter detailing your interest and qualifications for the position, as well as a summary of your general career goals.
- A current curriculum vitae (CV).
- Contact information for three professional references. At least one must be a former or current clinical supervisor.
- Proof of relevant licensure
- Copy of two sanitized forensic evaluations.

Positions are open until filled.

Please send your application materials to Nexus.Admin@NexusFPS.com