
CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

Therapist

JRS Malta is seeking to employ a Therapist (Psychotherapist / Psychologist / Counsellor) on a part-time basis, to provide therapy to forced migrants and asylum seekers.

Terms and conditions

The selected candidate/s will be offered a one-year definite contract, (with the possibility of renewal, upon successful performance review) on a part-time basis and will be required to work a minimum of 18 hours per week, at times to be agreed with the Contractor.

Prospective candidates who can offer less than 18 hours per week, and/or are unable to work at least three afternoons/evening each week, need not apply.

JRS Malta will pay the employee the full-time equivalent of €27,000 per annum.

Eligibility Criteria

Applicants must:

- Hold a recognised degree in Psychotherapy / Psychology / Counselling, at MQF Level 7 (subject to a minimum of 90 ECTS/ECVET credits);¹
- Be a warranted professional recognised by the Psychotherapy Profession Board (Malta) / Psychology Profession Board (Malta) / Council for the Counselling Profession (Malta);

The following will be considered an asset:

- Have a minimum of one (1) years' experience working as a Psychotherapist / Psychologist / Counsellor;
- Previous experience working with migrants, asylum seekers and other vulnerable groups;
- Working knowledge of Maltese and other relevant languages like French or Arabic;
- Have an excellent command of written and spoken English;
- Possess extensive organisational and communication skills;
- Be able to work independently;
- Be in regular supervision according to the requirements of their profession;
- Be willing to work with and for people from diverse cultures.

Qualifications and experience claimed must be supported by certificates and/or testimonials.

¹ Applicants in possession of a foreign qualification/s are to produce with their application a recognition statement on comparability of qualifications issued by the MQRIC.

Job description

The selected candidate will be expected to work as part of a multidisciplinary team.

The therapist will:

- Offer psychotherapy / counselling to JRS Malta clients;
- Keep updated client records;
- Attend supervision sessions and other coordination meetings as required;
- Attend meetings necessary for the planning and implementation of the above-mentioned tasks.

Application and selection process

Applicants are to submit:

- A letter of application;
- A police conduct certificate issued by the Criminal Records Office or other competent authority not earlier than one (1) month from the date of application;
- A detailed Curriculum Vitae;
- A copy of Qualifications;
- MQRIC recognition (if applicable); and
- Warrant together with the names and contact details of two referees.

by not later than **Monday 6th April** to Mark Cachia, the JRS Operations Manager on mark@jrsmalta.org.

Candidates will be required to attend an interview before a final decision is taken.

More information about JRS and its projects is available at www.jrsmalta.org.