**Position Type:**

Student Support Services

**Date Posted:**

03/22/2023

**Location:**

Mississippi Schools for the Deaf and the Blind

**Date Available:**

07/26/2023

**Closing Date:**

Until Filled

**Job Title:** Physical Therapist

**Reports To:** Special Services Director

**Major Functions:**

The major focus is to provide therapeutic intervention to address gross motor skills as they relate to the education of a student, so that the student is able to participate in the school environment to the best of their ability.

**Duties and Responsibilities:**

•Assesses student’s level of functioning and need for therapy, and the development of IEPs for eligible students, and participates in

IEP meetings;

•Implements therapy programs to meet IEP goals and objectives;

•Provides treatment techniques that include, but not limited to, activities of daily living, guidance and use of adaptive equipment,

exercises to enhance functional performance;

•Demonstrates techniques and specific programs to parents, teachers, teacher assistants, and/or other appropriate personnel;

•Collects, records and maintains data on therapy programs;

•Utilizes data from therapy to monitor therapy programs;

•Collaborates with special education teacher regarding student progress on goals and objectives;

•Collaborates with outside agencies, as needed;

•Requests, uses, and/or orders appropriate materials and equipment;

•Participates in meetings, conferences, and on committees, as directed;

•Attends scheduled meetings and workshops for professional growth and staff development;

•Adheres to the Mississippi Code of Ethics

•Maintains confidentiality and privacy of all MSDB records.

**Minimum Requirements:**

•Possess a license to work as a physical therapist in the State of Mississippi.

•Possess good verbal and written communication skills.

•Possess organizational and time management skills, and the ability to communicate well with children, parents, school faculty,

and administration.

•Possess the ability to work independently according to all physical therapist practice standards.

**Job Type:** Part-time

Please email your letter of interest and resume along with 3 references to Ms. Jacquie Russell at hr@msdbk12.org.