

## MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONAL CLINICIAN

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(28) "mental health professional clinician" means

- (A) an individual who
  - (i) is working for a community behavioral health services provider;
  - (ii) is performing limited behavioral health services that are within that individual's field of expertise;
  - (iii) is not working in a capacity that requires the individual to be licensed under AS 08; and
  - (iv) has a master's degree or more advanced degree in psychology, counseling, child guidance, community mental health, marriage and family therapy, social work, or nursing;
- (B) a nurse who
  - (i) has a master's degree in nursing;
  - (ii) has received special training or experience in mental health;
  - (iii) has an active license to practice nursing under AS 08.68; and
  - (iv) is working in the individual's field of expertise;
- (C) a marital and family therapist who
  - (i) has an active license to practice marital and family therapy under AS 08.63; and
  - (ii) is working in the individual's field of expertise;
- (D) a professional counselor who
  - (i) has an active license to practice as a professional counselor under AS 08.29; and
  - (ii) is working in the individual's field of expertise;
- (E) a social worker who
  - (i) has a master's degree in social work;
  - (ii) has an active license to practice as a social worker under AS 08.95; and
  - (iii) is working in the individual's field of expertise; or
- (F) a psychologist or psychological associate who
  - (i) has an active license to practice as a psychologist or psychological associate under AS 08.86; and
  - (ii) is working in the individual's field of expertise;