

## **Deputy Chief Financial Officer**

Community Healthcore (CHC) in Longview, Texas is the dynamic \$38M+ lead behavioral healthcare organization meeting the mental health, addictions, intellectual & developmental disability service and primary healthcare needs of people living in greater East Texas. Within CHC's financial services, the **Deputy Chief Financial Officer (Deputy CFO)** is a strategic financial leader responsible for supporting the Chief Financial Officer in overseeing all fiscal and compliance functions of the organization. This role ensures sound fiscal management, transparency, and sustainability while aligning resources with the mission and long-term strategic goals.

## The Role:

Reporting to the Chief Financial Officer (CFO), The Deputy CFO plays a critical role in supporting the CFO in overseeing the financial operations of the organization. The Deputy CFO acts as a strategic partner, operational leader, and intended successor to the CFO, ensuring the organization's financial health and compliance. The Deputy CFO works closely with the CFO to execute the financial vision and strategy. They align priorities, ensuring the Deputy CFO's initiatives support the CFO's broader objectives. As Deputy CFO, you will gain exposure to board meetings, investor relations, and strategic negotiations under the CFO's guidance while being responsible for operational performance and team leadership. In this role you will support the CFO by delivering reliable results and flagging potential risks or opportunities. You will establish a shared commitment with the CFO to the organization's success thus, fostering a strong, purposeful partnership

Direct operational responsibilities will be dependent on the Deputy CFO's past experience, demonstrated success in the joining-up process, and execution of assigned projects/tasks. Intended future responsibilities include treasury and reporting functions; revenue cycle management; oversight and supervision of the Controller and Financial Analysis and Planning positions; and serving as the CFO for the organization's Federally Qualified Health Center Look Alike operations.

With a proven track record in financial planning, budgeting, accounting, and regulatory compliance, the Deputy CFO serves as both an operational steward and a strategic advisor. The position requires a deep knowledge of governmental accounting, strong understanding of the behavioral health landscape, the ability to manage risk, and the skill to communicate complex financial information clearly to executives, board members, funders, and external stakeholders.

## The Community:

The hub of East Texas business and industry, Longview offers the cultural and corporate advantages of urban life; natural serenity and country landscapes; and, small town atmosphere in the surrounding communities. You'll find it all in *Longview: Real East Texas*.

More and more families, professionals and businesses are relocating to Longview in the heart of Texas Lake Country. With a cost-of-living below the national average, housing is very appealing. From traditional homes nestled in a country atmosphere to fine older homes that grace historical settings and contemporary living in plush surroundings - there are great options to meet every lifestyle.

Residents of Longview enjoy an attractive quality of life with a wide range of educational, cultural, and recreational opportunities. There are seven colleges within 40 miles of Longview. Longview enjoys

regional venues for both the performing and fine arts, as well as a host of festivals - Outdoor Expo, the Great Texas Balloon Race and Alley Fest, to name a few. Of course, those who enjoy the outdoors will find hiking, biking, camping, fishing, and hunting to meet your individual taste. For those who enjoy the amenities of bigger cities, Shreveport, LA is just over an hour away and Dallas, TX is about a two-hour drive. If you are already established in a community of your liking, you may choose to commute so long as doing so does not interfere with your work at CHC.

## **Experience/Education:**

Progressive experience in financial management to include 3 years in a senior leadership role

Strong knowledge of GAAP, audit processes, grants management and compliance standards

Requires advanced organizational skills and ability to manage multiple tasks

Excellent communication, analytical, and critical thinking skills

Proficiency with financial systems and ERP software; ability to leverage data for strategic decision-making

Demonstrated governmental accounting and fiscal management experience

Experience in behavioral healthcare and/or primary healthcare is a plus

Bachelor's degree in finance, accounting, business administration, or economics. Advance degrees such as an MBA or CPA/CMA certification preferred

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