Music for Healing & Transition Program [™], Inc. (MHTP) Advisor Deliverables

INTRODUCTION

The Music for Healing and Transition Program, Inc. is a not-for-profit 501(c)(3) educational organization which trains and certifies musicians to provide live therapeutic music, for the purpose of creating healing environments for the ill and/or dying, and all who may benefit. MHTP philosophy recognizes music as a therapeutic enhancement to the healing process and the life/death transition. Graduates of MHTP are Certified Music Practitioners (CMP)®. MHTP collaborates with healthcare facilities and community organizations to educate about, and promote research in, the effectiveness of therapeutic music.

The position of Advisor is a part-time contract position. The majority of the work is that of establishing a supportive, encouraging, and positive relationship with assigned Advisees while guiding them through the MHTP training process.

MAJOR DELIVERABLES

A. Supporting Advisees

- Creates and maintains a positive and supportive relationship with Advisees while providing guidance to Advisees' adherence to MHTP student requirements.
- Responds in a timely manner to inquiries from Advisees and MHTP staff, or refers inquiries to the Chief Executive Officer (CEO)
- Communicates with the CEO with any concerns about Advisees.
- Shares ideas for improved support for Advisees with other Advisors and the CEO.

B. Supporting MHTP Policies

- Acts as an advocate and ambassador for MHTP. Fully supports verbally and in writing the policies, decisions and actions of the MHTP Board of Directors, Chief Executive Officer and staff.
- Responsible for remaining up-to-date on all MHTP policy updates, pertinent changes in the curriculum. Advisor Manual, MHTP Handbook and Website, or as updated by the CEO; remains current on all CEU requirements.
- Answers Advisees' MHTP policy questions or refers Advisees' questions to the appropriate MHTP representative.
- Follows all requirements in the MHTP Advisor Contract.

C. Completing Administrative Deliverables

• Completes, sends, and files, (as described in the Advisor Manual or by CEO), all forms, Advisees' assessments and reports, and communication to create and maintain Advisees' records.

- Completes and sends to appropriate persons all invoices, applicable tax forms, and other administrative requirements within time frames specified in the MHTP Advisor Manual and/or set by the CEO.
- Works cooperatively, in a timely manner, on administrative tasks with other MHTP staff.
- Attends MHTP Advisor virtual videoconference meetings at least twice in a calendar year.

FACTORS

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities (KSAs) Required for Incumbent:

- 1. Fully knowledgeable about MHTP mission, vision, policies, procedures, history, its therapeutic music principles, and educational program. Ability to fully support MHTP policies and teachings and positively represent MHTP to Advisees.
- 2. Skill in using print and electronic media, online documentation.
- 3. Ability to maintain detailed records, follow-up on communications.
- 4. Skill in handling unforeseen situations in a calm, respectful, supportive manner.
- 5. Ability to complete, in a timely manner, all administrative tasks as described in this Deliverables document, as assigned by Supervisor, and as in Advisors Contract.
- 6. Ability to work with the CEO, Faculty, and Program Coordinator in a professional manner, with flexibility as needed.

Supervision

- The MHTP Advisor is supervised by the MHTP CEO.
- Second-line supervision is provided by the MHTP Board President.

Guidelines

- Written guidelines include the MHTP Standard Operating Procedures, MHTP Board policies and directives, MHTP Handbook, and the MHTP Advisor Manual.
- Additional guidelines and directives may be distributed via emails, phone conversations, and direct communication from the Supervisor.