

## Job Announcement

# Mississippi Schools for the Deaf and the Blind

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**Position Type:** *Student Support Services*

**Job Title:** *Physical Therapist – Part-time*

**Date Posted:** *02/01/2024*

**Location:** *Mississippi Schools for the Deaf and the Blind/Jackson, MS*

**Date Available:** *Immediately*

**Closing Date:** *Until Filled*

**Reports To:** *Director of Special Services/Building Principal*

### **PURPOSE:**

The incumbent of this position is responsible for organizing and implementing a physical therapy program for students receiving special education services and providing physical therapy services to students in accordance with federal and state law and district policies.

### **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

Must be licensed in the State of Mississippi to practice physical therapy.

### **ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Design therapy programs consistent with the educational philosophy of the district;
- Conduct evaluations and determine the specialized goals and needs of individual students;
- Develop care plans using a variety of treatment techniques;
- Prepare, implement, and evaluate annual educational plans for each student based on individual assessments;
- Prepare, implement, and evaluate a plan of care for each student according to the IEP's goals;
- Provide quality, personalized and evidence-based care and proven interventions;
- Motivate patients during treatment in order to help them function optimally;
- Promote students' healthy lifestyle by improving strength, flexibility, balance, and coordination;
- Consult and practice with other health professionals;
- Evaluate effects, monitor progress, and provide recommendations to parents and teachers;
- Collaborate with school personnel in coordinating services within the school;
- Maintain the confidentiality of all student and school records;
- Perform other related tasks as assigned by the Director of Special Services or Superintendent;
- Adhere to the Mississippi Educator Code of Ethics.

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