

Loan Repayment and Forgiveness Options
Oaklawn Psychiatric Center, Inc.
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1. National Health Service Corps

- a. Oaklawn is an approved site
- b. Elkhart and St. Joe Counties are designated Health Provider Shortage Areas (HPSA).
- c. One must already have a clinical license as a mental health professional
- d. For more information:
<http://nhsc.hrsa.gov/downloads/lrpataglance.pdf>

2. Loan Repayment Assistance program for Mental Health and Addiction Professionals

- a. Granted by the state of Indiana
- b. For more information:
http://www.in.gov/fssa/dmha/files/DMHA_Loan_Repayment.pdf

3. The Public Service Loan Forgiveness (PSLF) Program

- a. Sponsored by the Federal Government
- b. Loan forgiveness of remaining balances due on William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Program
- c. Other Federal Loans may be eligible for forgiveness if they are consolidated into a Direct Consolidation Loan
- d. One must have made 120 qualifying payments on those loans while employed full-time by certain public service employers (Oaklawn qualifies)
- e. For more information:
<http://www.studentaid.ed.gov/publicservice> or contact your federal loan servicer.

If you have further questions, feel free to contact Oaklawn Human Resources Vice President Jill Seifer at 574-533-1234, ext 4675 or e-mail her at jill.seifer@oaklawn.org