

RU-BHC Professional Pipeline Job Description Template

Psychiatrist (MD, DO)

Job Description: A psychiatrist is a medical professional who evaluates various factors impacting mood and behaviors, leading to diagnosing and treating patients for a wide range of mental health conditions, typically through medication.

Anticipated Job Growth by Percentage
(via U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics)

Chart displaying **Job Growth & Years of Education/Training**



Approximate # of Years of Education/Training
(South Carolina)

**Optional step*

Educational/Experiential/Training Requirements

1. Bachelor's Degree (*Any major*)
2. Medical Degree (*Medical Doctor or Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine*)
3. Residency
4. Fellowship(s)*

Eligible for [SC Behavioral Health Loan Repayment Program](#) under certain criteria

Licensure/Certification Requirement(s)

- State Licensure, Physician, South Carolina Board of Medical Examiners (SCLLR)

Continuing Education Renewal Requirement(s) (if applicable)

- 40 hours of continuing education credits per licensure cycle (every 2 years)

Average Annual Salary in South Carolina: \$240,418

National Salary Average: \$268,094

