

Job Vacancy Notice

Early Head Start Home Visitor-Bilingual



Job Details

Position: Home Visitor-Bilingual
Department: Early Head Start
Salary: \$20.44/Hr, \$20.96/Hr (Bilingual)
Languages: Spanish or Somali Preferred
Schedule: M-F, 40 Hours/Week; Full Year

Benefits:

Community Action offers excellent benefits including generous paid time off (PTO), paid holidays (14), health, dental & life insurance, retirement, employee discount programs and more.

Background Checks:

Community Action conducts criminal background checks at the time of hire. Some positions require additional fingerprint and photo verification. Not all backgrounds are a barrier to employment.

Posting Dates: 1/29/19-2/10/19

To Apply

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www.caprw.org

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Our Location

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Human Resources
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Job Summary:

Under the direction of the Early Head Start Supervisor, this position conducts home visits to enrolled and interested families. Responsibilities include developing and maintaining relationships, conducting strengths-based family and child assessments, identifying and connecting families to additional resources, screening and working with the children on developmental skills, and nurturing the development of a strong parent-child relationship to achieve identified goals.

Essential Functions (Not All Inclusive):

- Conduct weekly home visits to assigned caseload to foster prenatal care, positive parenting and family dynamics, health and wellness, child and home safety, child development, and self-sufficiency.
- Conduct child development, health, nutrition, oral health, mental health, and parenting assessments, activities and education.
- Complete developmental screenings and assessments with enrolled children and make referrals if a developmental delay is suspected.
- Coach participants in the process of developing and implementing family goals, recognize accomplishments and assist in identification of barriers to achieving goals and strategies to overcome these barriers.
- Refer participants to community resources and other agencies, and participate in joint home visiting with other agencies to assist in the coordination of services.
- Implement and/or coordinate strengths-based child and family assessments and assist with goal and priority setting.
- Develop, plan and conduct group socializations and events for families.
- Assist in outreach activities and recruitment, including enrollment forms.

Qualifications:

- Home-based CDA credential or comparable credential, or equivalent coursework as part of an Associate's or Bachelor's degree and 2 years of experience working with children and/or families in diverse communities, or an equivalent combination of education and experience to successfully perform the essential functions of the job. Bachelor's Degree preferred.
- Experience working with families with a history of trauma, homelessness, domestic violence and/or involvement with the child protection system preferred.
- Language fluency in Spanish or Somali preferred.
- Familiar with principles and practices of maternal and child health, safety and nutrition, adult learning principles, family dynamics, and positive parenting skills.
- Valid driver's license and reliable transportation on a daily basis required.
- Must have the ability to relate to and communicate effectively with a variety of multi-ethnic and socio-economic groups and/or individuals, including non-English speaking families.
- Must be proficient with Microsoft Office Suite (Word) and Google calendar, mail and documents, and entering information in a complex database.
- Comfortable with utilizing mobile technology (Tablets, Mobile Applications, Texting).
- Experience working with parents and children ages 0 – 3 highly desirable.
- Experience working in a home visiting setting highly desirable.
- Experience with Head Start beneficial.
- Must be able to lift 40 pounds and physically capable of reacting to the demands of developing infants and toddlers and older children.