Agency Name: Presbyterian Children's Homes and Services

Job Title: Child and Family Specialist (Social Worker)

Job Description: The goal of our Child & Family Program is to address issues before a crisis results in out-of-home placement of children. The Child & Family Specialist will receive referrals (from area agencies, churches, and individuals) and work with families to reach mutually agreed goals.

Job Functions: Assess community needs and available services for families in need in the local area. Make home visits to determine needs of individuals and families for service. Assist in the placement of children when necessary, support families while their children are in care, help prepare family for the child's return, and provide aftercare. Publicize PCHAS' presence and serve as professional liaison to area social service agencies. Work with local Presbyterian churches in program promotion. Perform other and/or special tasks as assigned.

Skills: A good listener and a good communicator both verbally and in writing. Experience or discernible high aptitude in working with Presbyterian Church groups. Bilingual preferred.

Christian Commitment: Presbyterian Children's Homes and Services is an independent social service organization governed by its own Board of Trustees. It holds a Covenant Relationship with the Presbyterian Church USA's Synod of the Sun and a Mission Partnership with the ECO Presbyterian Church’s Presbytery of Texas and Louisiana. It prefers to employ individuals who are Christians and who possess a Christian commitment to, as well as concern for, children and families in need.

Job Location: Midland, Texas

Salary Range: Competitive salary and excellent full time benefits!

Qualifications: Job Expectations: Licensed social worker or its equivalent or Bachelor’s degree. Active member of a Christian church. A minimum of 3 years’ experience working with children and adolescents, preferably in a substitute care setting. Clinical experience with children and families preferred. Extensive knowledge of local area social services.

Link to application: http://texas.pchas.org/employment/application/
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