Seeking a Child and Family Specialist
Kilgore, Texas

Position Summary:
To provide strength based, family focused, in-home family preservation services.

Core Responsibilities:
To be knowledgeable of local needs and available services to children and families.
To publicize PCHAS presence and serve as a professional liaison to the local social service community.
To receive referrals (from area agencies, churches, schools, and individuals), identify family issues, conduct needs assessment, develop a plan of service, and assist families to reach mutually agreed goals.
To assist and encourage families to advocate and coordinate all available services for themselves.
To make home visits to determine needs of individuals and families and support the plan of service.
To maintain documentation in the case record and complete necessary reports.
To speak to church and community groups when needed.
To work cooperatively and as a team member of PCHAS.
To perform other duties as assigned.

Working Conditions:
Most offices are provided in Presbyterian churches with normal office equipment (computer, cell phone, fax, copier, etc.). At least 60% of the work week is spent outside the office doing home visits/face to face contact with clients, networking, agency relations, etc. A flexible schedule is a must as families frequently cannot meet until the evening time. Reliable transportation is a necessity and overnight trips will occur occasionally.

Desired job expectations:
Licensed professional with a master of social work degree or its equivalent.
A minimum of 3 years experience working with children and adolescents. Clinical experience with children and families would be beneficial.
Experience or discernible high aptitude in working with church groups and agencies.
A good listener and a good communicator both verbally and in writing.
Extensive knowledge of local area social services.
Bilingual helpful.

Excellent Salary with full time benefits!

Please apply: https://recruiting.paylocity.com/recruiting/jobs/Details/116907/Presbyterian-Childrens-Homes-and-Services/Child-and-Family-Specialist

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