University of Houston
Graduate College of Social Work

JOB OPPORTUNITY POSTING

Job Title: Youth Counselor

Employer/Agency: Harris County Kinder Emergency Shelter

Job Description: Under the direct supervision of the Supervisor II, the Youth Counselor supervises, monitors and counsels residents in the shelter in accordance with the guidelines set forth by the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services Licensing Division. Transports youth when necessary. Organizes and participates in program and recreational activities. Physically fit and active. Continues education through training.

Qualifications: High school diploma or G.E.D. equivalent is required. A Bachelor's Degree is preferred.

EXPERIENCE: One year of experience working with youth in a residential, recreational or educational setting is required.

JOB SKILLS: Applicants must be at least 21 years of age. A valid driver's license is required. Applicant must possess good oral and written communication skills and possess the ability to operate office equipment. Casework skills are preferred. Successful applicant will be required to complete First Aid and CPR training within 90 days of employment. Skill and utilization of Microsoft Office Suite, including Microsoft Word, and data entry preferred. Bilingual in English and Spanish preferred

Salary/Hours: DOE

Employer/Agency: Harris County
Address: 1310 Prairie-Suite 400
City, State, Zip: Houston, TX 7002-2021

Application Method: 1310 PRAIRIE – SUITE 170 Houston, TX OR JobApps@bmd.hctx.net

Three (3) Letters of Recommendation Will Be Required Prior To Employment.

Opening Date: Immediate

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