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**University of Houston
Graduate College of Social Work**

JOB OPPORTUNITY POSTING

Job Title: Family Care Specialist s (1 Full-Time, 1 Part-Time)

Employer/ Agency: SUNNY FUTURES Healthy Start - Neighborhood Centers Inc.

Job Description: Provide community-based, family-centered, comprehensive perinatal services to women, teenagers, infants and their families. Counsel and aid clients and their families requiring maternal and child health assistance. Secure information such as medical, psychological, and social factors contributing to gaps in services provided to client; make referrals to community resources when needed.

SUNNY FUTURES Healthy Start an auspice of Neighborhood Centers Inc., was initiated in 1998 and provides community-based, family-oriented maternal and child health services to women, infants and their families residing in the Sunnyside, Third Ward and Fifth Ward communities of Houston, Texas. Neighborhood Centers Inc. (NCI) is a private nonprofit human service agency that has been in operation in the Greater Houston area since 1907. NCI is well-known as one of the city's major proponents of economic and social development, helping more than 160,000 community residents reach their full potential each year.

Qualifications: Bachelor's Degree from an accredited educational institution in Social Work or related field; Master's Degree preferred. Three years of working experience with low-income families in the area of Maternal/Child Health. Knowledge and expertise in family assessments; ability to perform home visits and psychosocial assessments. Excellent organizational, interpersonal, verbal and written communication skills. Bilingual (English/Spanish) preferred.

Salary/Hours: \$27,663-37,345; 1 Full-Time, 1 Part-Time

Employer/ Agency: Neighborhood Centers Inc.

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Application Method: Send your resume to Shebia (above) **and** apply online via www.neighborhood-centers.org.

Opening Date: Immediate; Closes 3/18/10

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