UNIVERSITY of HOUSTON GRADUATE COLLEGE of SOCIAL WORK

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Job Title	Bilingual (English/Spanish) Family Support Coordinator: UC Home Study and Post Release Services
Employer/ Agency	YMCA International Services
Job Description Qualifications	Duties /Responsibilities YMCA International Services is a unique branch of the Y of Greater Houston and seeks to meet the needs of Houston's significant refugee and immigrant communities. We provide comprehensive programs that focus on building human assets and fostering self-sufficiency. YMCA International Services seeks a full-time Home Study and Post Release Services Bilingual Family Support Coordinator to work with USCRI, to provide Post Release Services (PRS) for Unaccompanied Children (UC).
	Duties /Responsibilities Family Support Coordinator primary responsibilities include:
	 Provide culturally and linguistically appropriate post placement services and comprehensive case management for UC; Complete individualized needs assessments with UC and sponsor, and develop case plans with particular attention to culture, language, and special circumstances Carry a minimum caseload of 25, but not to exceed 40 cases; Maintain a high standard of record keeping according to USCRI and ORR policies and procedures. Provide information, education, referrals, outreach, advocacy, and support to ensure that each child receives the services they require; Assess the safety and appropriateness of the placement on an ongoing basis using child welfare principles and social work best practices through phone/video calls, interviews, and home visits; Build a network of local pro bono legal resources and service providers to facilitate access for UC and sponsors, and track individual progress; Coordinate and maintain communication with key stakeholders; Participate in regular training and communication sessions with supervisor and headquarters staff; and Report suspicious and inappropriate behaviors and policy violations Follow mandated abuse and incident reporting requirements Meet timelines and deadlines related to supporting systems and employee compliance. Example includes but is not limited to Kronos Workforce Ready to review and submit own time sheet. Participate in rotating schedule for food pantry and airport pickup. Other duties as assigned Bachelor's degree in social work, a behavioral science or social services.
Qualifications	 Bachelor's degree in social work, a behavioral science, or social services field with a minimum of two years' progressive experience in the fields listed above; Experience with immigrant populations, child welfare, child placements, family preservation and social service provision is desired; Must be skilled at writing professional, thorough reports; Must possess an extensive knowledge of immigrant community local resources;

Salary/Hours	communication skills, and ability to prioritize duties in a fast-paced environment; • Must have a valid driver's license, insurance, a clean driving record, and personal transportation; • Position requires up to 50 percent long distance travel with limited notice; • Position is remote and the candidate must have an appropriate workspace to complete documentation, client phone calls, and video conferencing; • Fluency in Spanish is required; proficiency in additional languages a plus; • Candidate must demonstrate a commitment to comply with mandatory state reporting requirement for child abuse and neglect; • Candidate must have dedication to the human rights of refugees, immigrants, asylum seekers and displaced people; • Candidate must pass a criminal background check that includes past history of conviction of child and sexual abuse; • Possess or be able to obtain CPR and basic first aid certification. Training Requirements • Satisfactory completion of USCRI and ORR required trainings prior to serving clients and on an annual basis. • Complete additional trainings as identified by supervisor. \$56332.64 / Year – Exempt position Office Hours: Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Occasional evening hours
	as required. The YMCA of Greater Houston has outstanding benefits including medical, dental, and vision insurance, long-term disability, life insurance, paid holidays, and 12% retirement paid by our Association upon meeting eligibility requirements.
Address	3110 Hayes Road, Suite 300
City, State, Zip	Houston, TX 77082
Application Method	Please apply online at https://www.ymcahouston.org/job-opportunities/
Opening Date	Immediately

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