

Job Posting Domestic Violence Agency

Date of Posting - October 12, 2018

Counselor - Children and Youth

Overview of Agency

Hope's Door seeks to end domestic violence and to empower survivors to achieve safety, independence, and healing from the trauma of abuse. We have served victims of domestic violence since 1980, touching the lives of more than 11,000 persons last year. Our services include shelter, hotline, counseling, support groups, advocacy, information and referral, and an extensive education and awareness program. At Hope's Door, services are survivor-centered, empowerment-based, and affirm the inherent dignity and worth of each individual.

Come join our dedicated team and make a difference in the lives of those wounded by abuse.

Primary Job Responsibilities

- 1. Promote the Hope's Door mission to end domestic violence and empower survivors.
- 2. Help children and youth heal from the trauma of witnessing or experiencing family violence.
- 3. Provide trauma-informed services and interventions for children, youth, and families, including counseling (individual and family), support groups, advocacy, information and referral, recreational programs, socialization activities; parenting education programs, and parent support groups.
- 4. Conduct or prepare intakes, assessments, case plans, safety plans and danger assessments.
- 5. Participate in agency-wide and community events to support the organization's goals and mission.
- 6. Participate in on-going education and training opportunities.

Preferred Skills and Experience

BA/BS Required. MA/MS/MSW/LMHC/LCSW preferred.

1 to 3 years of relevant experience in counseling, crisis intervention and/or support groups. Please have good computer skills (Word, Excel) along with good written and verbal communication skills.

Salary and Benefits

Annual Salary Range for Full-time Work: \$36,000 to \$44,000

Flexible Benefits with Health Plan Options – Value of \$800 per month after 3 months of service – Opt Out Benefit Life Insurance - Short and Long-term Disability - 401K Participation after Year 1

Vacation: 20 days Sick Time: 12 days Holidays: 12 days

APPLICANT'S PLEASE SEND RESUME AND COVER LETTER TO

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