

Job Title: **Service Linkage Worker- Thomas Street (Homeless Program)**

Job ID: 135182

Location: Administration

Full/Part Time:	Full-Time		
Regular/Temporary:	Regular		
Hiring Range:	Hourly	\$16.44	-\$20.96
	Minimum to		
	Midpoint:		

About Us

Harris Health is a nationally recognized health system comprising three teaching hospitals and an extensive network of ambulatory care centers serving the people of Harris County, Texas, since 1966. Staffed by the faculty, fellows and residents from two nationally ranked medical schools, Baylor College of Medicine and The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston (UTHealth), Harris Health is the first healthcare system in Houston to receive the prestigious National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA) designation for its network of patient-centered medical homes.

Each year, Harris Health provides more than 1.8 million total outpatient visits through its more than 40 ambulatory care facilities. Additionally, Harris Health sees more than 177,000 emergency visits at its Level 1 and Level 3 trauma centers and 35,000 hospital admissions through its three hospitals: Ben Taub, LBJ and Quentin Mease.

Established by voter referendum to enhance the level of charity care available in the community, Harris Health System has often received national recognition for serving those in need and for its achievements in operational excellence, such as being named to the 2011, 2012, 2013 and 2014 Most Wired Hospitals lists by the American Hospital Association's *Hospitals & Health Networks* magazine.

Additionally, Harris Health System is pleased that each of its three hospitals — Ben Taub, Lyndon B. Johnson and Quentin Mease — achieved Pathway to Excellence™ designation by the American Nurses Credentialing Center.

Job Profile

JOB SUMMARY: The Service Linkage Worker provides assessment of clients medical, psychosocial and current service needs; referrals and assistance with linkage to medical, mental health, substance abuse and psychosocial services as needed; support and follow-up.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

Education/Specialized Training/Licensure: Bachelors degree from an accredited college or university with a major in social or behavior sciences. Documented paid work experience in providing client services to Persons Living with HIV/AIDS (PLWHA) may be substituted for the bachelor's degree requirement on a 1:1 basis (1 year of documented paid experience may be substituted for 1 year of college).

Work Experience: A minimum of 1 year paid work experience with PLWHA

Equipment Operated: Computer and general office equipment.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:

Communication Skills:

Above Average Verbal (Heavy Public Contact)

Bilingual Skills Required - No; Languages: Spanish-speaking preferred
Writing /Composing (Correspondence/Reports)

Other Skills:

Analytical, P.C., MS Word

Work Schedule: Travel

Benefits and EEOC

Harris Health System benefits program is designed to provide you with more flexibility and choices in meeting your specific needs. Harris Health System benefits program allows you to protect your income in case of illness, death and disability, and to help you save for retirement.

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