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Job Title TBRA Case Manager **Employer/ Agency** Houston Area Community Services **Job Description Overview:** Provides clients receiving tenant based rental assistance (TBRA) with case management and supportive services in order to maintain housing and avoid the reoccurrence of homelessness. **Duties and Responsibilities:** Assesses participants' eligibility and program appropriateness; obtains • required documentation needed for program eligibility. Assists participants to secure appropriate housing based on household size, composition, geographic preference and other participant determinants. Develops and maintains good working relationships with local property owners and/or management designees. Assists clients with the housing search and rental application process, and the understanding of Fair Housing laws. Determines rent subsidy amounts based on federal guidelines. Provides information and education on tenant rights and responsibilities. Secures all documentation (e.g., W-9 forms, signed lease agreements, identification paperwork, etc.) needed to satisfy hard-copy file requirements. Performs Housing Quality Standards (HQS) inspections prior to move-in and as scheduled annually. Provides case management services through on-site visits, phone consultations, and home visits. Responsible for all data management requirements established for the Homeless Management Information System (HMIS). Enters complete and accurate client information into the electronic file system as per established protocols. Maintains complete, accurate, and up-to-date participant hard-copy files. Develops, in conjunction with client input, individualized service plans that at minimum address residential stability, income, education, and health-related goals. Demonstrates a working knowledge of community resources and facilitates linkages to needed services for program participants. Prepares and submits check requests for monthly rent/utility assistance in a timely manner. Uses objectivity and self-discipline to avoid emotional involvement in situations that may be highly charged. Other duties as assigned. ٠

Qualifications	 Education, Experience, Licensure/Certification and Skills/Abilities Related Requirements: Bachelor's Degree required; degree in social work or a closely related field preferred. 2 years of recent housing experience with local, state and/or federal programs preferred. 2 years experience working clients with HIV/AIDS preferred Bilingual (English/Spanish) desired. Continuing Education and Training Requirements: Participates in trainings required by the agency, funding source(s), and/or as required by licensure if applicable.
Salary/Hours	DOE
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Opening Date	Immediate

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