## UNIVERSITY of HOUSTON GRADUATE COLLEGE of SOCIAL WORK

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Job Title	Bilingual Family Intervention Specialist
Employer/ Agency	Youth Villages
Job Description	Relocation Assistance! For this location, we offer a relocation reimbursement of \$4,000 if you are relocating from 100 miles away or further.
	What is Youth Villages? Youth Villages? Youth Villages is a nonprofit organization striving to help troubled youth and families live successfully. We are a team of more than 2,700 individuals who've come together across 11 states and the District of Columbia to change the landscape of child welfare and juvenile justice across the country. Our work involves providing an array of counseling and treatment services to youth with severe emotional and behavioral needs.  Eighty-two percent of those who go through treatment are succeeding two years after leaving our program. These youth are living at home, remaining in school, and are not experiencing trouble with the law.  We believe strongly in investing in and supporting our employees. We offer candidates opportunities to develop a career and be part of a positive change in our
	country's treatment of at-risk youth and families.  Can I see myself here?  We have found our staff succeed at Youth Villages when they:
	Are passionate about social services and dedicated to helping at-risk youth and families  Value feedback and accountability  Value the collaboration that comes from working on a team and thrive working on their own
	Enjoy variety in their schedule and not sitting behind a desk all day Are results and detailed oriented Have a sense of humor and find creative ways to implement ideas Value a strength-based treatment approach Can change priorities quickly Are looking for more than just a job
	DESCRIPTION How will I make a difference? Providing in-home counseling services for at-risk youth and families Managing a small case load of four families to provide quality counseling Meeting with youth and families regularly to address each family's needs at their convenience Providing after hours support to youth and families through being on-call during the week and one weekend a month
	Collaborating with youth, family, teachers, and other community members working towards the success of the youth; that could be attending court or meeting with teachers; it depends on what your families' needs are in any given week Providing a strengths-based approach utilizing counseling and social work skills Attend three weekly meetings (individual, team, and clinical consultation) for professional development to help enhance clinical skills

How will you invest in me?

One of our core values is that we are committed to our staff. We will help you take your career with us wherever you want it to go. We offer staff:

Affordable access to medical, prescription, dental, and vision insurance plans Tuition Reimbursement and Licensure Supervision

Priority consideration for leadership openings throughout the organization Mileage and cell phone reimbursement

Retirement savings pension plan and a 403(b) and FSA

Paid time off: Two weeks for vacation, nine paid holidays, and 12 sick days annually

Supportive leadership and coworkers

## ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

How can I be considered for the position?

You can be considered for this position if you meet the following qualifications: Fluent in English and Spanish

Master's degree in social services field; degrees that can be considered include: social work, drug and alcohol education or counseling, psychology, counseling, guidance counseling, or marriage and family therapy. Other degrees will have to be evaluated further to determine if they meet the qualifications.

Strong writing skills and experience with electronic documentation

Acceptable driving record- Two or fewer moving violations within the past 36 months

## **CLOSING**

Experience growth and development through our continuous training, as well as tuition and licensure reimbursement, or pursue opportunities to advance both clinically and administratively with Youth Villages.

What's next?

Are you ready to make difference?

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