

Job Title	Bilingual Clinician (URM Program)
Employer/ Agency	Catholic Charities
Job Description	<p>The St. Jerome Emiliani Homes for Children of Catholic Charities is seeking a full time Bilingual Clinician.</p> <p>JOB SUMMARY</p> <p>Provides individual counseling to adolescents, and transitioning to adulthood youth from international backgrounds residing in community-based foster homes and current agency home within the Greater Houston Area. Also, provides trainings on mental health topics and wellness to program staff as required by state licensing standards and program funders or in promotion of program/agency initiatives.</p> <p>PRINCIPAL DUTIES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides individual counseling services to adolescents, and transitioning to adulthood youth and their foster families in compliance with professional licensing standards, agency standards, COA standards, USCCB/ORR requirements, and HIPPA. Additionally, participates in and executes abuse risk management responsibilities, as recommended by the aforementioned entities and Praesidium. Direct client service delivery includes the following clinical duties: conducting assessments; documenting clinical impressions; developing and implementing individualized treatment plans and interventions; assessing risk and safety needs; providing appropriate referrals; reporting abuse and/or neglect, or suspicions of such safety concerns to the appropriate supervisor(s) and authorities. May require to be on call for clinical needs, emergencies, as needed. Routinely attends training opportunities as required by the program and professional license. • Completes required documentation of client progress within required timeframes; maintaining client records in accordance with regulatory/agency standards. Completing data entry tasks associated with tracking measurable outcomes and performance management. • Offers clinical impressions and recommendations during staffing of cases with treatment team members. Also, contributes to a collaborative approach to client care by working together with other professionals, program manager, and case management staff who participate in the child's service plan.
Qualifications	<p>MINIMUM EDUCATION:</p> <p>Master's degree in the mental health field, e.g. Social Work, Counseling, Marriage and Family Therapy, or Psychology. Has an active professional license to providing counseling services in the state of Texas including LMSW, LPC-Intern, LMFT Associate, preference is given to fully licensed professionals including LCSW, LPC, or LMFT. Has no history of disciplinary action by the candidate's</p>

professional licensing board. Must be in good standing with Texas DSHS. Knowledge on Trauma Focused CBT preferred.

MINIMUM SKILLS AND EXPERIENCE:

1. At least one year of experience providing direct clinical services, including counseling and assessment (internship and practicum experiences may be credited toward this requirement for recently licensed professionals).
2. Experience providing presentations and trainings, comfortable speaking to large and small audiences
3. Experience providing individualized services to families and adolescents.
4. Crisis management experience – demonstrates ability to assess needs, manage crisis, and when appropriate, refer to internal or community mental health resources
5. Experience or training in the provision of services to the survivors of trauma
6. Ability and willingness to understand, incorporate, and practice new theoretical perspectives and treatment strategies
7. Familiarity with developmental appropriateness and overall knowledge of child development
8. Experience or knowledge of providing treatment that is sensitive to diverse populations
9. Bilingual (English/Spanish) required.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

- Must have reliable transportation, valid Texas driver’s license and valid vehicle insurance
- Position requires driving in personal vehicle and/or Agency vehicle to include freeways and highways to satellite offices, job fairs, and offsite meetings and events, throughout the 10 counties Catholic Charities serves from Galveston to Richmond and surrounding towns as needed.
- Must be able to work on a flexible schedule as needed to meet work, program and project deadlines.

Salary/Hours	TBD
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