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Job Title	Community Health Worker
Employer/ Agency	Houston Area Community Services
Job Description	Works in Federally Qualified Healthcare Center. Recruits and markets woman's health services at HACS clinic locations in Spring Cypress and 18 th Street that provide women's health specific education/medical services, family planning services/education and HIVSTI testing, treatment and education.
	 Provides targeted outreach and recruitment of women and teens with high prevalence of unwanted pregnancies and/or at high risk for breast and cervical cancer, and/or HIV/STI, and/or prenatal services, and/or diabetes and hypertension. Assists these persons by providing support and direct linkages to eligibility screening and medical services in order to increase quality health outcomes and family planning. Provides general health education (i.e. hypertension, cancer prevention, diabetes prevention, pregnancy prevention). Communicates with others (internally and externally) to provide or exchange necessary information. Other duties as prescribed by the supervisor.
Qualifications	 Additional Skills, Abilities & Requirements: Knowledge of women's health issues and related services, Homeless, and Mental Health/Substance Abuse community resources, and working with other communities and/or populations as described within the program. Must be comfortable and culturally competent to work with special populations including teenaged women. Highly organized, self-motivated, and knowledgeable of targeted communities and posses excellent engagement skills. High School Diploma or equivalent required. Proven track record and/or experience in recruitment and linkage to services. Bilingual in Spanish and/or Vietnamese strongly preferred.
Salary/Hours	• DOE
Employer/Agency	Houston Area Community Services
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Opening Date	Immediate

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