UNIVERSITY of **HOUSTON** GRADUATE COLLEGE of SOCIAL WORK

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Job Title	PRS Family Support Coordinator
Employer/ Agency	YMCA
Job Description	Position Overview The Family Support Coordinator will provide Post Release Services (PRS) for Unaccompanied Children (UC). This position will report to the Regional Supervisor. This position is hybrid and based in Houston Duties/Responsibilities Family Support Coordinator primary responsibilities include:
	 Provide culturally and linguistically appropriate post placement services and comprehensive case management for UC Complete individualized needs assessments with UC and sponsor, and
	 develop case plans with particular attention to culture, language, and special circumstances Carry a minimum caseload of 25, but not to exceed 40 cases Maintain a high standard of record-keeping according to USCRI and ORR policies and procedures. Provide information, education, referrals, outreach, advocacy, and support to ensure that each child receives the services they require Assess the safety and appropriateness of the placement on an ongoing basis using child welfare principles and social work best practices
	 through phone/video calls, interviews, and home visits Build a network of local pro bono legal resources and service providers to facilitate access for UC and sponsors, and track individual progress Coordinate and maintain communication with key stakeholders Participate in regular training and communication sessions with supervisor and headquarters staff Perform all other duties as needed and/or as directed by supervisor including airport pickup of newly arrived refugees.
Qualifications	Requirements • Bachelor's degree in social work, a behavioral science, or social services field with a minimum of two years' progressive experience in the fields listed above • Experience with immigrant populations, child welfare, child placements,
	 family preservation and social service provision is desired Must be skilled at writing professional, thorough reports Must possess an extensive knowledge of immigrant community local resources Excellent organizational, verbal, written, and interpersonal communication skills, and ability to prioritize duties in a fast-paced environment
	 Must have a valid driver's license, insurance, a clean driving record, and personal transportation Position requires up to 50 percent long distance travel with limited notice

	 Position is remote and the candidate must have an appropriate workspace to complete documentation, client phone calls, and video conferencing Fluency in Spanish is REQUIRED; proficiency in additional languages is a plus Candidate must demonstrate a commitment to comply with mandatory state reporting requirement for child abuse and neglect Candidate must have dedication to the human rights of refugees, immigrants, asylum seekers and displaced people Candidate must pass a criminal background check that includes past history of conviction of child and sexual abuse Possess or be able to obtain CPR and basic first aid certification. TRAVEL Travel is primarily for home visits, although some out-of-area and overnight travel may be expected.
Salary/Hours	Base Pay: \$66,019.20/Year Full-time
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Application Method	Apply Here: https://secure6.saashr.com/ta/6082553.careers?CareersSearch=
Opening Date	Immediately Closes March 1st

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