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| <b>JOB TITLE:</b>                               | Family and Child Engagement Specialist      |
| <b>DEPARTMENT:</b>                              | Family Program                              |
| <b>CLASSIFICATION:</b><br>Exempt /Nonexempt     | FLSA Exempt                                 |
| <b>REPORTS TO:</b>                              | Family Program Senior Manager               |
| <b>SUPERVISORY RESPONSIBILITY:</b>              | No  |
| <b>POSITION TYPE AND EXPECTED HOURS OF WORK</b> | Full time: some evenings, weekends required |
| <b>REVIEWED/REVISED DATE:</b>                   | May 2022                                    |

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| <b>REQUIRED EDUCATION:</b>  |
| Bachelor’s degree in social work, psychology, youth counseling, or related field. |

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| <b>REQUIRED CERTIFICATIONS:</b> |
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| <b>REQUIRED WORK EXPERIENCE:</b>   |
| One year of experience in family strengthening and/or social services field. |

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| <b>PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:</b>  |
| <p>Experience in the areas of child services, workforce development, adult education, job/career coaching.</p> <p>Experience with emergency assistance funds disbursement.</p> <p>Knowledge of Broward County’s resources and referral systems, and experience in a school setting are preferred.</p> <p>Experience working with children and social emotional learning preferred</p> <p>Familiarity with non-profit operations preferably in the area community relations.</p> <p>Experience with high quality customer service.</p> <p>Ability to use computer software to organize information, effectively communicate, maintain data, develop a variety of correspondences and reports.</p> <p>Ability to maintain open communication, confidentiality and professionalism at all times.</p> |

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| <b>JOB SUMMARY/PURPOSE (1325 Character Max):</b>  |
| Engagement Specialist assists families and students with employment, educational, financial, personal, and basic needs through case management and referrals. Assists with social emotional and developmental support to children, teachers and families through education and training. The FCES assists with parent education, holiday assistance program, food distributions, and special, large donations. In some instances, the FSC may also be required to represent the Center at community or social events. |



**ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS**

**ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTION (1): CASE MANAGEMENT/ FAMILY PROGRAM SUPPORT**

- Provide case management, referrals and follow-up.
- Instruct clients in completion of necessary documentation and review for accuracy to ensure proper resources and referrals are carried out through case management.
- Assist in administering Emergency Assistance Funds.
- Make recommendations to Family Team on use of resources to support families in times of crisis.
- Conduct family assessments.
- Assist families while they are in the Client Work Window Program.
- Assist clients in preparing resumes and job search portfolios, and preparing for interviews. Provide job search/career education, and labor market and community resource information. Match client's qualifications with job skill requirements and refer qualified clients to employers. Conduct necessary follow-up when clients are placed in positions.
- Assist clients with their education needs, including connecting families to and maintaining Broward College and other partnerships.
- Assist with MHA College Scholarship Program.
- Assist in the maintenance of corporate partners employment program.
- Assist with children's barber program.
- Assist in maintaining food & clothing pantry, family resource room and parent information boards.
- Assist with holiday assistance program, food distributions, and special, large donations.
- Assist in coordination of Center events including, but not limited to annual health fair, adult education fair.
- Assist with grant data entry, billing and reporting.
- Accurately document all case management in Apricot and ProCare databases.
- Input data and generate Family Program reports.
- Maintain and regularly update community resource list.
- Frequent walking, sitting, bending, stooping, lifting up to 30 pounds and reaching overhead required

**ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTION (2): PARENT AND STUDENT EDUCATION SUPPORT**

- Coordinate individual coaching sessions.
- Coordinate assigned parent education classes.
- Send individual coaching and parent class reminders.
- Assist in providing support for parent nights by gathering materials, prepping rooms, and assisting with food and child care staff.
- Track individual coaching and parent class attendance and follow-up with families that miss sessions/classes.
- Assist with pre/post testing for parent education series, and individual coaching.
- Provide support and assistance with cross collaboration among departments and outside service providers as needed.
- Assist with parent class tracking and reporting.
- Assist with educational support plans for students.
- Assist with organization wide projects that relate to social emotional development.

**ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTION (3): COMMUNITY OUTREACH**



- Represent center on community task forces and committees, and during events.
- Build and maintain partnerships with other agencies and organizations to benefit the center, its families and/or the community.
- Maintain and regularly update community resource list.

### **MARGINAL JOB FUNCTIONS**

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- Assist in planning and executing research and other special projects
- Participate in Development activities and fundraisers
- Attend and/or facilitate conferences and workshops
- Assist in special projects.

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#### **Other Duties**

Please note this job description is not designed to cover or contain a comprehensive listing of activities, duties or responsibilities that are required of the employee for this job. Duties, responsibilities and activities may change at any time with or without notice.

This job description has been approved by all levels of management:

Manager/Director \_\_\_\_\_ HR \_\_\_\_\_

Employee signature below constitutes employee's understanding of the requirements, essential functions and duties of the position.

Employee \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_