**JOB ANNOUNCEMENT**

**ROBESON COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES**

**SOCIAL WORKER II (In Home)**

**DESCRIPTION OF JOB:** This position will serve as a parent educator and alternate Child and Family Team (CFT) Facilitator. This position will provide parent education and serve as an alternate to facilitate Child and Family Team Meetings when the primary facilitators’ schedules cannot accommodate clients, to prevent CFT meetings from occurring without a facilitator present. The main responsibility of this position is devoted to parent education activities. This position also provides social work services to clients to assist them with parenting skills in areas such as discipline, self-care; effective communication; and parenting stress. This position will be involved in coordination and collaboration with social workers in Child Welfare and strictly provides parent education but is in no way responsible for making recommendations to the social worker; court; or any other agency about the client’s case. This position will complete courtesies for other counties, will be Point of Contact for Conflict of Interest cases and complete home visits on Dual county cases for the In-Home Department. This position reports to a Social Work Supervisor III.

**KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES:** Thorough knowledge of social work principles, techniques and practices and their application to complex case work, group work and community problems. Considerable knowledge of family and group dynamics and a range of intervention techniques. The ability to get along well with others, as well as the ability to communicate and work with low-income individuals. Good oral and written communication Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with members of the caseload, as well as civic, legal, medical, social and religious organizations. Ability to express ideas clearly and concisely and to plan and execute work effectively. Possess a knowledge of social work practice and how the Department of Social Services functions within the community

**MINIMUM TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS:** Bachelor's degree in Social Work from an accredited school of social work; or Bachelor’s degree in a human services field from an accredited college or university and one year directly related experience; or Bachelor’s degree from an accredited college or university and two years directly related experience.

**APPLICATION PROCESS:** Interested applicants must contact Division of Workforce Solutions (910-887-6950) at 289 Corporate Drive Suite B, Lumberton, NC by 5:00 pm on January 16, 2024.  Applicants not referred by DWS will not be considered. **A PD-107 application & copy of college transcript are required** and must be received at DWS in Lumberton by 5pm on January 16, 2024. A review of qualifications, employment history and criminal history will determine applicants selected for the structured interview.  Applicant selected will be scheduled for drug testing.  In-house applicants submit application to Tammy Kitson.

**SALARY:** $47,213.74 **GRADE:**  71

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