



Temporary Position Available: P.A.T.H.S. Outreach Worker

Terra is a dynamic community based organization that responds to the issues and challenges that young people face related to pregnancy and parenting. P.A.T.H.S. supports young moms in making healthy choices for themselves, their children, and their families and in developing their capacity to effectively meet the needs of their children.

Responsibilities:

- Carry a caseload of young moms and their children, providing service in-home and through community visits.
- Provide prenatal and parenting education and support, information regarding infant care and child development.
- Assistance with relationship development
- Linking young parents to community resources for referral and /or advocacy
- Maintain files and complete required reporting
- Use HOMES database

Qualifications:

- Degree/diploma in the Human Services field.
- Minimum two years experience working with young people.
- Understanding of the needs and issues related to teen pregnancy and parenting.
- Experience in assessing client needs and identifying appropriate community resources.
- Knowledge of child health and development, positive parenting strategies and developmental milestones preferred.
- Comfortable using computers and databases
- Vehicle required

This is a temporary full time (37.5 hours/week) position commencing immediately until December 31, 2008. Hours of work are flexible to best meet the needs of clients.

Position will remain open until a suitable candidate is found.

Please forward resume to:

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