

**Department of Children and Families
JOB OPPORTUNITY
Children Services Worker
Part-Time (32 hours biweekly)**

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Open To: DCF Employees Only

Location: Albert J. Solnit Children's Center - North Campus in East Windsor, CT

Job Posting No: VB44118N

Hours: 1st shift (7:00 am – 3:30 pm)
Schedule: work every Saturday & Sunday

Salary: \$24.47 - \$34.35 hourly

Closing Date: 02/02/2016

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities: Responsibilities include but are not limited to: providing a safe and nurturing, therapeutic living environment for youth in care, supervision of youth, crisis prevention and management, implementing the milieu program and schedule, facilitating recreational activities on and off campus, documentation, facilitating psycho-educational groups, attending staff meetings and training sessions to improve treatment and child caring skills; work collaboratively with other disciplines/departments to provide holistic care and performs other duties as assigned. Based on facility operational needs training to become medication administration certified may be provided. Applicants with experience in a congregate care treatment program(s) with adolescents preferred.

General Experience: Two (2) years of paraprofessional experience in an applied treatment program for emotionally disturbed, delinquent, behaviorally disordered, educationally deficient or mentally retarded children or youth.

Substitution Allowed: an Associate's Degree in the health, human services or mental health areas may be substituted for the general experience. Thirty (30) college credits in a course of study leading to a Bachelor's Degree in the behavioral sciences may be substituted for one (1) year of the general experience.

Working Conditions: Incumbents in this class may be required to lift or restrain residents and may have significant exposure to risk or injury from assaultive and/or abusive residents.

Note: The filling of this position shall be in keeping with established reemployment, transfer, promotion, and SEBAC employment obligations. Include the specified posting number on all application materials.

Application Instructions: Current DCF employees having permanent status in this classification must submit an 1199 Lateral Transfer Request form. Qualified applicants must submit a CT-HR-12 (State application), resume, letter of intent, three (3) letters of supervisory reference, original transcripts and a copy of any license or certification required to the address indicated; state employees must submit their two most recent performance appraisals in lieu of references. Please specify the posting number on all application materials. Incomplete application packets will not be considered.

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Attn: Victoria Brothers - Human Resources**

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