Children’s Hospital of Wisconsin

**Entity:** Children’s Service Society of Wisconsin (Baraboo Office)

**Position Opening:** Treatment Foster Care Worker – Part-Time – Approximately 18 hours per week

**GENERAL SUMMARY:**

The Treatment Foster Care Worker position provides direct service to children within the designated area. Provides treatment foster care services to Children’s Service Society clients and team members as delineated by DCF 56 and in a manner consistent with accepted social work practices and agency program definitions. The children referred to the program may present as emotionally disturbed, medically fragile, developmentally delayed, or delinquent children or adolescents. Attention to permanency planning and providing stable home environments to the child is essential.

**Essential Functions:**

- Maintains positive working relationships with referral source and community organizations to best serve the needs of the clients.
- Provides face-to-face contact with children minimally every other week.
- Intervenes in a therapeutic manner with TFC children and families.
- Develops treatment plans with appropriate goal setting, and measures outlined goals on a quarterly basis.
- Encourages and supports client participation to develop competence and confidence.
- Provides necessary support and services to the foster families, while maintaining open communication with the birth parents as the process progresses.

**Minimum Knowledge, Skills and Abilities Required:**

- Master’s Degree in Social Work or related field preferred, **OR** a bachelor’s degree in Social Work with two years post degree experience.
- State of Wisconsin Social Work certification (CSW, SWTC, APSW, ISW, LCSW) required and maintained.
- Child welfare experience desired.
- Experience working with families of diverse ethnic, cultural and socioeconomic backgrounds strongly preferred.
- Clinical Social Work skills.
- Some evening hours required.
- Requires a valid driver’s license, acceptable driving record, minimum liability insurance coverage and the ability to be insured by the CHHS auto insurance carrier.

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