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Jackson County

Child Protective Services

Child Protective Caseworker (Social Services Worker 2)

The Jackson County Department of Job and Family Services – Child Protective Services team is committed to the safety and well-being of children.

The team is looking for highly-motivated, compassionate and detail-oriented individuals that are up to the challenge of building safe and stable living settings for children and families. Individuals should have a passion and drive for promoting family accountability that strengthens family bonds, parental engagement and enhances child well-being.

Primary Duties & Responsibilities (include, but are not limited to): Maintains ongoing protective services caseload; Provides supportive counseling to children and families; Conducts case management services for clients with challenges such as family adjustments, employment, food, clothing, housing and physical, mental or behavioral impairments; Provides on call, 24-hour emergency intake of case referrals; Secures information such as medical, psychological and social factors contributing to family conditions; Coordinates/collaborates with mental/behavioral health care providers, schools, law enforcement and family support professionals to align and deliver supportive services.

Advantages of working for Jackson County Job and Family Services:

- Health Care Benefits Medical, Dental, Rx and Vision
- Educational Supplement
- Life Insurance Options
- 13 Paid Holidays
- 2 Weeks of Paid Vacation after just one year!
- Agency picks up your Ohio Public Employee Retirement System (OPERS) contribution
- Longevity Pay (according to length of service)

Qualifications:

- O Successful applicants must have strong written and verbal communication skills, thrive in a fast-paced environment and value the diversity of the Appalachian community.
- Interested applicants should have a bachelor's degree in social work or related degree (Psychology, Sociology, Criminal Justice) or a master's degree in social work or related degree.
- o All positions are subject to a criminal background, fingerprinting, employment verification and motor vehicle report check.

Interested applicants should complete an Ohio Civil Service application and attach a resume and cover letter and submit to Tracy Hughes, HR/TM Administrator, by 4:00 PM, Monday, February 4, 2019.

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