

Red Caboose Child Care Center, Inc. SOCIAL WORKER JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

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To Apply:

Send your cover letter, resume, and names plus contact information for three references to jobs@redcaboosechildcare.org

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION - EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER
Minorities are encouraged to apply

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III. Specific Duties

A. Parent Workshops Coordinator

- 1. Work with the Program Directors to determine training for program staff and board members on the topic of trauma-informed care.
- 2. Work with Executive Director and Program Directors to ensure a high-quality educational opportunity for families.
- 3. Coordinate logistics (i.e. facilitators, media equipment, workshop confirmations, staff participation, childcare needs) for any workshops or volunteer activity.
- 4. Contact and set up parent group facilitators and parent workshop presenters.
- 5. Co-Facilitate Parent Discussion Groups
- 6. Market the classes to ensure attendance.
- 7. Serve as primary contact for workshop presenters, group facilitators and parent volunteers.

B. Parent Liaison and Resource Coordinator

- 1. Ensure that parents have effective mechanisms for obtaining information about upcoming classes, events, and community child development-related resources.
- 2. Support parents and staff during meetings pertaining to the child.
- 3. Support Program Directors with parent meetings related to child development and needs.

C. Program Support

- 1. Be on-site to observe and support children and teachers
- 2. Maintain communication between Executive Director and Program Director through daily verbal communication and team meetings.
- 3. Connect with community resources to bring direct support and/or referral services to Red Caboose

D. Administrative

- 1. Establish timelines and priorities for administrative tasks.
- 2. Work with the Executive Director to determine policies and procedures that need to be updated reinforcing trauma-informed care.
- 3. Create a directory of potential workshop leaders and outside resources for present and future contact.
- 4. Provide the Executive Director and School Age Program Director with pertinent information and forms.
- 5. Serve on the Education Committee and other committees as needed.
- 6. Schedule and communicate Red Caboose-based transportation.
- 7. Work with the Executive Director to document Equitable Recovery Fund reports.