

Home Care Training to Home Care Clients (HCTC) Professional Foster Parents

If you have experience working with young people with mental health problems and feel that you are being called by God to help children in this way, please consider becoming an HCTC provider.

General Objectives:

This position provides 24 hour a day professional level care in the provider's home to adolescents with mental health diagnoses. The provider will receive a professional foster care license and house youth for the purpose of short term intervention in an out of home setting. One or two youth are placed in a home at a time at the discretion of the agency. The provider is expected to work directly with the youth's therapist to develop therapeutic goals and objectives which can be implemented by the provider in their home between counseling sessions. Providers are required to submit daily reports noting interventions used and the youth's response. Providers are also required to attend all meetings and to provide transportation of the youth to all counseling and other appointments. In most cases the provider will also work directly with the youth's parent or legal guardian to facilitate transition of the youth back to a permanent home upon discharge from HCTC. Regular training and support are provided by Christian Family Care Agency.

Qualifications:

Applicants are required to have at least two (2) years of experience working with youth who have mental health problems or at least two (2) years experience as a foster parent to adolescents. One adult is required to be at home full time—not employed outside of the home. The applicant must be able to provide a separate bedroom for each HCTC youth placed in the home.

Interested applicants should contact Louise Gonzalez at:

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