

## JOB DESCRIPTION: Program Caseworker

#### **FUNCTION**

This is a full-time salaried position based on 37.5 hours per week reporting to the Executive Director. Starting October 2024 for 13 Months.

#### **RESPONSIBILITIES**

Under the supervision of the Executive Director, the Program Caseworker is responsible for the effective service delivery of Mentoring programs which includes the following duties:

## **GENERAL DUTIES**

- 1. Attend staff meetings as required.
- 2. Provide support to the Executive Director as required.
- 3. Other duties as requested by the Executive Director including participation in agency fundraising and public relations initiatives.
- 4. Maintain a strong effective working relationship with the BBBS team.
- 5. Participate in staff development seminars and training a minimum of once every two years.
- 6. Work evenings and weekends as required.
- 7. Provide an article in each Newsletter.
- 8. General office upkeep and duties as needed.
- 9. Present Mentoring information to groups such as service clubs, churches, schools, the university and college throughout the year to recruit new mentors.

### **JOB DUTIES**

- 1. Maintain accurate, updated Dynamics CRM documentation according to BBBSC National Service and Delivery Standards and agency policies and practices.
- 2. Ensure that documentation and casework is accurate and sign off on files for all mentoring programs.
- 3. Complete and submit monthly statistics and reports, as applicable to this position, to the Intake Caseworker.
  - Track all matches made and closed in the Community-Based Program and ISM Mentoring Program.
  - o Track all children on the Community Based Mentoring waitlist with annual update to circumstances.
- 4. Responsible for the matching and monitoring of the Community Based Mentoring Program. Timely and thorough follow-up and monitoring of matches as set out in the BBBSC National Service Delivery Standards and Agency policy and procedures.
- 5. Manage staff internal ISM and Traditional Program when applicable.
- 6. Match children and adults based on their needs, skill levels, complementary personalities, and shared interests.
- 7. Co-facilitate Pre-Match training for families and assist Intake Caseworker when needed in delivering Pre-Match Training to volunteers.
- 8. Co-Coordinate the Kids & Kops summer program with all Caseworker Staff.
- 9. Plan agency activities and manage community sponsored events.
- 10. Ensure the Intake Caseworker has a working knowledge of the Community based files and is able to maintain files in the other Caseworkers absence.
- 11. Assist Intake Caseworker when needed in the screening of volunteers and families according to BBBSC National Service and Delivery Standards and agency policies and practices.
- 12. Provide information, coupons, and tickets to volunteers and families for community events.

### In-School Mentoring:

- 13. Maintain accurate, updated Dynamics CRM documentation according to BBBSC National Service and Delivery Standards and agency policies and practices.
- 14. Recruit for mentors and mentees in a variety of communities.
- 15. Responsible for the planning and programming of the In-School Mentoring Program in Lethbridge and surrounding area.
- 16. Responsible for the matching and monitoring of the In-School Mentoring Program. Timely and thorough follow-up and monitoring of matches as set out in the BBBSC National Service Delivery Standards and Agency policy and procedures.
- 17. Complete and submit monthly statistics and reports, as applicable to this position, to the Intake Caseworker.
  - o Track all matches made and closed in different mentoring programs.
  - o Track all children on the waitlist with annual update to circumstances.
- 18. Match children and adults based on their needs, skill levels, complimentary personalities, and shared interests.
- 19. Facilitate Pre-Match training for families and assist Intake Caseworker when needed in delivering Pre-Match Training to volunteers.
- 20. Ensure the Intake Caseworker has a working knowledge of the mentoring files and is able to maintain files in the other Caseworkers absence.
- 21. Assist Intake Caseworker when needed in the screening of volunteers and families according to BBBSC National Service and Delivery Standards and agency policies and practices.
- 22. Provide information, coupons, and tickets to volunteers and families for community events.

## Intake (joint shared role)

- 1. Maintain accurate, updated Dynamics CRM documentation according to BBBSC National Service and Delivery Standards and agency policies and practices.
- 2. Conduct all intake processes for ISM, Traditional, GameOn! and GoGirls mentor and mentee files.
- 3. Coordinate and deliver Pre-Match Training for all new volunteers and families, Update all training material on an as needed basis with support from Program Caseworker.
- 4. Screen all volunteers and families according to BBBSC National Service and Delivery Standards and agency policies and practices.
- 5. Engage volunteers, parents/guardian, children, schools and the community to encourage their participation in Big Brothers and Big Sisters programs.
- 6. Responsible for the enrolment process with volunteers and families, ensuring prospective families and volunteers contacting BBBS receive an engaging, positive, personalized telephone, email, or in-person response promoting all mentoring options.
- 7. Track and follow-up with volunteers and families not completing the enrolment process.
- 8. Support Caseworker staff and students when needed by assisting intake and match monitoring supports when needed.

## Qualifications

- 1. Minimum 2-year post-secondary diploma or degree in Social Work or related field i.e. human services, health, or education.
- 2. Experience and strong knowledge of databases and all Microsoft programs including Word, PowerPoint, Outlook and Excel
- 3. Reliable transportation, valid driver's license, and clean driver's abstract.
- 4. Previous experience in interacting/working with children and families.

Please submit resume and cover letter to; Jen Visser, Executive Director Big Brothers Big Sisters of Lethbridge and District jen.visser@bigbrothersbigsisters.ca

All candidates are thanked in advance for their interest. Only individuals selected for interviews will be contacted.

Closing Date: Open until a suitable candidate it found.

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