

Outreach

Community Ministries

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Outreach Community Ministries, Inc. (OCM) is a Christian, community service organization seeking to attract and hire a diverse staff of highly competent professional employees.

- Position Title:** **Bilingual Youth & Family Therapist (Spanish/ English)/
Crisis Intervention Team Member**
- Department:** **Wheaton Youth Outreach (WYO)**
Wheaton Youth Outreach is a community based youth and family resource center serving the greater Wheaton area. Services include counseling for individuals, couples and families, crisis intervention for runaway and homeless teens, casework services for basic needs, and transitional housing for young women.
- Job Responsibilities:** The Bilingual Therapist serves on WYO's Specialized Youth Services Team and provides support and therapy to youth in crisis to keep youth safe, connected to their parents and prevent or minimize involvement with child welfare and juvenile justice systems. Responsibilities include: maintaining a full-time therapy case load with individuals, youth identified as high risk by their families, the legal system, or the educational system and families; providing crisis intervention services to local police departments regarding runaway or locked-out youth; assisting with training crisis team members; maintaining strong community contacts to facilitate excellent coordination of comprehensive services and the completion of monthly reports regarding program services.
- Requirements:** Master's Degree in Social Work, Clinical Psychology or related field. Licensure preferred. Bilingual (Spanish/ English) and able to provide therapy in Spanish. 3 years of experience in systemic interventions with youth; ability to navigate the educational, legal and mental health delivery systems; sensitivity to the needs of a low-income, culturally diverse population. Valid IL driver's license, insurance, reliable vehicle and good driving record. Must live within 30 minutes of downtown Wheaton to respond to crisis calls. Microsoft Word/ Excel. A commitment to Outreach Community Ministries' Statement of Mission and Faith.
- Status:** Full-time with 2 evenings/week; rotating coverage of crisis response phone.
- Salary Range:** Salary for this position falls between \$36,000 and \$40,000 based on language skills, education, clinical experience and licensure. Additional compensation on an hourly basis for crisis work performed outside of business hours.
- Send Resume To:** Heather Hernandez, hhernandez@outreachcommmin.org
- Posting Date:** July 1, 2015 **Start Date:** August 2015

All applicants will be considered without regard to race, color, sex, national origin, age or any other characteristic protected by applicable state or federal civil rights law. OCM, Inc. reserves the right to make faith-based hiring decisions as permitted under Title VII (42 U.S.C. Section 2000e – 1(a))

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