COMMUNITY OUTREACH SPECIALIST I (Youth Reentry)

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ISSUED: 01/29/2024 CLOSES: 02/09/2024

Position: COMMUNITY OUTREACH SPECIALIST I (Youth Reentry)

Salary: \$20.49 Per Hour

Department: Public Safety/Justice Services

Hours: 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M., Monday - Friday; may be required to work flexible hours to accommodate client/program needs, including evenings, weekends, and/or

holidays.

Other: Must pass a Level 2 background check prior to appointment.

THIS IS AN AT-WILL POSITION.

Use the Job ID based on the Position Location as follows

Location	↓ Job ID	11
County-Wide	22595	

Provides direct services and acts as the community liaison for the Palm Beach County (PBC) Youth Reentry Program, as part of the Justice Services Division. Conducts outreach services to provide increased knowledge of, and connection to, public assistance programs, educational institutions, and other services related to the needs of juvenile justice-involved youth and families. Provides enrollment assistance for eligible activities and programs, such as completing and processing applications for rental/utility/basic needs assistance. Coordinates with community service providers; facilitates and/or provides transportation for clients to engage in services, and makes visits to youth and families at home, residential facilities, or other locations in the community. Develops professional connections and coordinates service pathways with agencies in the community to meet the variety of needs of youth and families. Increases public knowledge of mainstream public assistance programs. Work is performed alongside Youth Reentry Case Managers and under the general supervision of an administrative superior, and is reviewed through conferences, reports, and results obtained.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Graduation from high school or an equivalent recognized certification; minimum of two (2) years of experience in social services/social work.

<u>PREFERENCE FOR EXPERIENCE</u>: Working in the field of Juvenile Justice, Criminal Justice, Social or Behavioral Science (must specify on application). Also desirable: Bilingual (English/Spanish/Creole).

All employees of Palm Beach County may be required to work before, during and/or after a natural or man-made disaster or hurricane.

In accordance with Affirmative Action requirements of Sec. 503 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, and provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, the County provides reasonable accommodation. If you need a reasonable accommodation for interviewing or initial employment, please notify the Palm Beach County BCC Human Resources Department. EO/AA Employer M/F/D/V; (Drug Free Work Place).