

**JOB ANNOUNCEMENT
PARENT SUPPORT SPECIALIST**



PURPOSE:

Under general supervision, participates in the development and implementation of parent education and support services; makes home visits to provide in-home parenting services to intellectually/developmentally disabled adults who are Redwood Coast Regional Center clients with the goal of developing and/or enhancing the client's parenting skills; provides services in a variety of community settings. This is a full-time position (37.5 hours/week)

QUALIFICATIONS:

Desirable Education and Experience:

A typical way to obtain the knowledge and skills outlined above is: Equivalent to graduation from a four-year college or university with major course work in child development, social science, social work, education or a related field and two years of experience working with individuals who have intellectual/developmental disabilities, preferably with an emphasis in parent education, home visiting, or independent living skills.

Requirements:

- Must be able to pass a criminal history fingerprint clearance at the DOJ and FBI level.
- Must possess a valid California driver's license, current automobile insurance, and a vehicle for work.
- Ability to demonstrate eligibility to work in the U.S.
- Ability to work a varied schedule, including evenings, weekends, and early mornings.
- Must be able to make home visits and be able to enter a variety of structures; must be able to climb stairs and be physically mobile.

WAGE: Starts at \$ 15.59 per hour.

BENEFITS: Benefits per current Personnel Policies include paid sick and vacation days, 13 paid holidays, health, vision, life, and dental insurance, and 401(k) Retirement Plan.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE: Submit a letter of interest, resume, and completed job application via email to nprato@changingtidesfs.org or via U.S. mail to:

Nanda Prato, Human Resource Director
Changing Tides Family Services
2259 Myrtle Avenue
Eureka, CA 95501

APPLICATION DEADLINE: 5:00 p.m. on Monday, August 27th, 2018. Application and job description available at www.changingtidesfs.org and at 2259 Myrtle Avenue, Eureka, CA 95501.

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