



Asian Foster Family Initiative

BILINGUAL FOSTER CARE SOCIAL WORKER

JOB DESCRIPTION: KFAM AFFI is the only Foster Family Agency (FFA) in the nation specializing in recruiting, training and supporting Asian Pacific Islander (API) foster parents to provide culturally appropriate homes for API and other foster children. KFAM AFFI is seeking a *Bilingual Foster Care Social Worker* a full-time position under the supervision of the Program Manager.

JOB REQUIREMENTS:

- 1) Conducts in home visits to foster families in accordance with DCFS and Title 22 guidelines and the SAFE home study requirements.
- 2) Provides clinical support services and culturally appropriate referrals to relevant community services and resources (medical, dental, counseling, etc.).
- 3) Monitors foster parents' activities and court ordered visits between foster children and their biological family members to ensure compliance with all program standards and policies.
- 4) Completes and updates case records and submits reports in a timely manner as required.
- 5) Keeps written case records of all contacts with foster families, children and biological families.
- 6) Responds in a timely and appropriate manner to emergency calls from foster parents; completes required Special Incident Reports according to agency, DCFS and CCL requirements.
- 7) Participates in orientations and pre-certification trainings for prospective foster parents.
- 8) Assist in outreach to raise awareness including media interviews and community events.
- 9) Other duties as assigned.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- MSW, MFT or similar field from an accredited college or university. LCSW, LMFT preferred.
- Bilingual in an Asian language, such as Chinese, Vietnamese, Korean and Tagalog.
- Minimum 2 years' experience in child welfare preferred (internships count towards experience).
- Experience in foster care, adoptions, or DCFS a plus.
- SAFE certification a plus.
- Strong ties to API community and/or experience working with API immigrant populations a plus.
- Must work some evenings and weekends.
- Serve on the emergency on-call rotation for the program
- Must have driver's license, auto insurance, and be willing to drive regularly.

OTHER:

Compensation commensurate with experience.

Email resume, cover letter with salary history, AND references to Alice Lee alicelee@kfamla.org (no calls)

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