

Job Title	Social Worker – Early Childhood Learning Center
PVN ID	LA-1809-002700
Category	Instruction and Social Service
Location	LAGUARDIA C. C.
Department	Early Childhood Learning Center Programs
Status	Full Time
Salary	Depends on qualifications
Hour(s) a Week	35
Closing Date	Nov 04, 2018 (Or Until Filled)

General Description

LaGuardia Community College, located in Long Island City, Queens, educates more than 50,000 New Yorkers annually through degree, certificate and continuing education programs. Our guiding principle, “Dare To Do More”, reflects our belief in the transformative power of education—not just for individuals, but for our community and our country—creating pathways for achievement and safeguarding the middle class. LaGuardia is a national voice on behalf of community colleges, where half of all US college students study. Part of the City University of New York (CUNY), the College reflects the legacy of our namesake, Fiorello H. LaGuardia, the former NYC mayor beloved for his championing the underserved. Since our doors opened in 1971, our programs regularly become national models for pushing boundaries to give people of all backgrounds access to a high quality, affordable college education. We invite you to join us in imagining what our students, our community and our country can become. Visit www.laguardia.edu to learn more.

The Social Worker provides services to students and families to help students increase their ability to function optimally and enhance learning. The Social Worker collaborates with the student support network (e.g., educational team, parents, and community agencies) to address the students' academic, emotional, and social needs. The successful candidate works towards enhancing and fostering positive relations among the student, school, community, and parents. This is a Grant-Funded position. The Social Worker will perform the following duties:

- Assess needs and counsel's students and families individually and in groups regarding social, emotional, behavioral and mental health interventions needed to enhance learning.
- Mobilize and coordinates community resources for students and families to address academic, behavioral, emotional, mental health and social needs. Develops and builds community agency partnerships with service providers to expand resources available to students and families. Communicates information to teachers and related service staff as needed to support student learning.
- Identify needs, provides services to students parents in crisis, and coordinates with community resources during any student's and student parent's mental health crisis. Works in assigned schools and throughout the district on an on-call basis.
- Facilitate the intake process with families and collaborates with community service providers.

- Summarize student social-emotional needs and develops social skills training plans and proactive behavior management plans to support the students' success in the educational setting. .
- Consult with instructors and student parents to support the learning environment for increased educational benefit.
- Maintain professional progress notes and other records. Summarizes student and Student Parent's social-emotional needs and develops social skills training plans.
- Develop and organizes activities for parental involvement.
- Serves as a resource and advocate to students and families.
- Perform other job-related duties as assigned

Other Duties

Qualifications

Master's Degree in social work or Mental Health Counseling preferred and one to three years of work experience required, LCSW or LMHC preferred. SIFI certified bi-lingual and Mental Health Certification a plus.