

## Temporary Teen Services Caseworker (2<sup>nd</sup> shift)

Temporary, Full-Time

Preble Street is currently seeking a temporary full-time Caseworker to work as part of the Teen Services 2<sup>nd</sup> shift team. Teen Services is open 24/7 365 days a year and provides services to youth ages 12-21. This position will work within the Preble Street Teen Center and the Joe Kreisler Teen Shelter and it supports youth transitioning to the overnight shelter.

- The current schedule for this position is **Wednesday-Saturday 11:30am-10pm**
- The primary role of this position is to provide casework services through building relationships with clients, providing program coverage, maintaining client safety, monitoring the security of both spaces, and providing crisis intervention and support in a low-barrier setting.
- In addition, the Temporary Caseworker is responsible for supporting program documentation needs, participating in programming, and coordinating services and support across all Teen Services shifts.

## **Job Requirements**

- A bachelor's degree in social work or related field, or a bachelor's degree in another field and one year of relevant social work experience.
- Teen Services staff be at least 21 years of age
- Candidates must pass a physical examination, including TB test.
- Must hold certification or become certified in First Aid (on-site training opportunities offered).
- Provide proof of education (diploma or transcript); and have acceptable background check results.
- Qualified candidates will have a positive regard for people who are experiencing homelessness.
- Must have the ability to establish boundaries with a diverse population.
- Strong verbal and written communication skills.
- Candidates with experience working immigrant and refugee youth highly preferred.
- Portuguese or French speaking candidates highly preferred.
- The ability to work as part of a team in a fast-paced environment.

## To Apply

Please submit an application, cover letter, and resume to: <a href="mailto:humanresources@preblestreet.org">humanresources@preblestreet.org</a>

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