

MA'AT CHILD and FAMILY THERAPIST

- AGENCY: Homeless Children's Network
- TITLE: Ma'at Child and Family Therapist
- SCHEDULE: Full-time position, 40 hours per week, Community and School Based Locations
- SALARY: \$90,000
- BENEFITS: 100% Health, Dental, Vision and Life insurance; Professional Liability Insurance, \$300 monthly commuter stipend and travel reimbursement, gym membership, 6 Weeks paid time off, 13 paid holidays, Work Laptops Provided!

About Homeless Children's Network:

The Homeless Children's Network (HCN) works to address two needs: first, the traumatic effects of homelessness and violence in the lives of young children and their families; and second, to establish a "standard of care" across a variety of shelters and housing programs. Working directly with the community, we help children and families address the root traumas that helped shape their worldviews, explore healthier perspectives, and learn practical non-violent skill sets for managing stress. We do this through comprehensive mental health services, case management, family education and support services, and community leadership.

For more information about HCN, please visit our website at <https://www.hcnkids.org>

About the Ma'at Program:

The Ma'at Program is a supportive holistic therapeutic community, in which we center and work with African American/Black Families in San Francisco.

Ma'at is focused on seven cardinal virtues: balance, order, righteousness, harmony, justice, truth, and reciprocity. Through these values, we provide individual and family therapy, mobile community outreach, culturally-based referrals, and community organizing and advocacy. Ma'at is a healing community based on Afri-Centric and culturally opulent principles.

For more information about the Ma'at program, please watch our introductory video at <https://www.hcnkids.org/ma-at-program>

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS

- Obtained at least a Master's Degree, especially in Counseling Psychology, Clinical Psychology, Social Work/Social Welfare, Marriage and Family Therapy, or similarly related field
- Experienced and knowledgeable in child development, especially in BIPOC (Black, Indigenous, POC) families and communities; Familiar with resources and communities in San Francisco.
- Registered with the Board of Behavioral Science (BBS) or active in the registration process - need to provide documentation by phone screen stage.
- License-eligible or licensed in California
- Preferably experienced in provision of therapy through EPSDT (MediCal)
- Working knowledge/experience related to issues of homelessness and domestic violence
- Excellent oral and written communication skills
- Positive attitude and team play with proven ability to work with people of different intersecting identities.

HCN's Community Culture:

Of all the above important qualifications, bring the heartfelt quality of compassion, with exquisite cultural responsiveness as a primary guiding quality, not only of your professional life, but of what you hold dear.

Please bring a strong analysis of how race, ethnicity, culture, language, region, poverty, sexual and gender identity, age, education, opportunities and resources generationally made available or not, and systemic oppressions impact a person's mental health.

Please have stories of your own life and how you have been a mover and shaker to transform these systems.

Please accept that HCN is a vibrant community that has a legacy that is of interest to you, and is also prompted to grow steadily, and with the respect of what has been done well central in the conversation.

At HCN we don't just accept differences, we CELEBRATE them! At HCN, we thrive on your humanness, your individualism, your authenticity. Mohawks, weaves, braids, bald, twists, dreads, straight, mullet? Yes, that too. The people we serve are as diverse as a jar of multicolored marbles and for the benefit of our clients, our employees must be to. HCN is proud to be an equal opportunity employer.
