

Job Description

Position title:	Location:
Parent-Infant Program (PIP) Specialist	HSDC, 1625 19 th Ave., Seattle, WA 98122
Immediate Supervisor:	Department:
Director of Education	Education
Effective Date:	Job Status:
December 1, 2016	Full-Time

Job Summary:

Work on a collaborative team to provide early intervention services to parents, family members and caregivers with a deaf, deaf-blind, or hard of hearing child, ages birth to three, using an American Sign Language (ASL) & English (or the family's home language) bilingual approach.

Essential Job Functions:

- Provide early intervention services to target child and family outcomes in the family's home (or other natural environment)
- Develop Individual Family Service Plans (IFSPs) with the child's family and Family Resource Coordinator
- Coach families on how to incorporate an ASL & English (or the family's home language) bilingual approach into their daily routines
- Conduct ongoing assessments on child's developmental skills
- Write progress reports
- Maintain paperwork and records on each child on caseload
- Collaborate with other professionals to meet the needs and goals of the family
- Plan and lead center-based child and parent activities
- Work with team to coordinate volunteer support
- Perform other educational or administrative duties as assigned by the department director

Experience/Qualifications:

- Experience with the bilingual ASL-English (or other home language) approach and a willingness to support both languages
- Native or near native fluency in ASL and knowledge of Deaf culture and community
- Experience working with young children and adults
- Knowledge of child development and early education theories and practices
- Experience with listening technology (hearing aids, cochlear implants, and FM systems)
- Must have basic computer skills, including word processing
- Must have effective verbal/signed, listening, and written communication

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Education/Licenses/Certificates:

- Bachelor's degree or higher in deaf education, or a comparable area of specialty
- Washington State teaching certificate, or ability to obtain
- CPR/First Aid/Blood Bourne Pathogens certification, or willingness to obtain
- Pass state and federal background checks

Physical Demands:

- Must be able to cope with the demands and needs of small children
- Ability to bend, lift and carry objects up to 25 pounds
- Physical agility to bend, stoop, walk, reach overhead, push, pull, squat, kneel, crawl, twist and turn
- Ability and willingness to efficiently travel by car throughout King, Snohomish, and Pierce counties

Employment at Will:

Hearing, Speech and Deaf Center maintains an employment at-will relationship with its employees, per Washington State requirements, and both parties are free to terminate the employment relationship at any time, for any reason.

HSDC is an Equal Opportunity employer. We hire, procure, and provide services without regard to race, color, creed, religion, sex, marital status, ancestry, national origin, age, political ideology, sexual orientation, veteran status, or the presence of any sensory, mental or physical disability.

Compensation:

Salary based on experience and training, range is \$40,000-\$50,000 annually

Position open until filled.

Interested applicants, please send cover letter and resume to Director of Education at education@hsdc.org.