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# **CHILREN AND YOUTH SPECIALIST**

## **Purpose**

To provide staff presence, security, discernment, counsel, and leadership to children and youth in particular and all residents in general of SBM Women and Family Center.

### **Qualifications**

- Born-again believer in Christ, in example.
- B.A. in Christian Education or equivalent experience.
- Experience in working with children and youth in ministry settings.
- Experience in working with homeless children and youth.

### **<u>Report – Program Director</u>**

#### **Responsibilities**

- Know who is in the building both program residents and guests, particularly children and youth.
- Coordinate (together with other Children/Youth staff) the extra-curricular activities of all children and youth of residents with a view to develop them spiritually, as well as developmentally in cooperation with their parent(s) and the other Program staff and under the direction of the Women and Family Director.
- Take appropriate measures to ensure all age-appropriate Children/Youth are registered in the correct school and act as liaison for the Mission to those schools.
- Work with volunteers as assigned by the Women and Family Director.
- Participate with other Center staff in taking daily shift responsibilities.
- Communicate pertinent shelter information and emergency interaction to succeeding shifts.
- Keep the Children and Youth Learning Center functioning for all Children & Youth.
- Informally counsel both resident and guest Children/Youth in coordination with Program Director and Counselors (particularly the counselor of the parent of any particular Children/Youth).
- Be ready to evangelize as God directs.
- Communicate with Women and Family Ministry Director as supervisor.
- Anything else deemed appropriate by the President of Sunday Breakfast Mission.