



Mentoring Support Specialist

Design and implement a region-wide system of child care program mentoring support. Work with existing child care providers, both registered and licensed, to provide tutorial support and intensive hands-on instruction, modeling and support. Provide face-to-face modeling and instruction, including curriculum review and revision, program practice review; provide feedback and evaluate progress. Support programs in applying for and achieving STARS and link with local and statewide resources around STARS. Work collaboratively with WCMH/CUPS, local Provider Group Leaders, Central Vermont Building Bright Futures Council, local Success by Six teams and the STARS Program Administrators. Some travel required.

Desired Qualifications: Bachelor's degree in Early Childhood, Education, Human Services or a related field, two years experience working in an early childhood setting; knowledge of child care and human services in Central Vermont, demonstrated knowledge of developmentally appropriate practice for infants, toddlers, and preschoolers; ability to communicate effectively verbally and in writing; ability to sensitively provide feedback directly to mentees; experience as mentor and/or supervisor or trainer of adults.

Family Center benefits:

Paid health, dental and disability insurance, generous leave, and 403(b) retirement plan

Send resume, cover letter and three references by **July 31st** to:

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