



The Cayman Islands Crisis Centre invites qualified candidates to apply for the positions of:

**CHILDREN & YOUTH COORDINATOR**

The successful candidate will provide crisis intervention, prevention and educational services to at-risk children and youth, who experienced or witnessed child maltreatment, domestic violence, sexual abuse, dating violence, childhood trauma, and other related forms of mistreatment. Also, provides public awareness services to children and youth at educational institutions, youth organisations, etc. Desired working hours are between 12pm-8pm from Monday to Friday, however this position requires flexibility. The Children and Youth Coordinator may be required to work outside of the scheduled hours, including some weekends, based on clients' needs and availability.

**Primary Responsibilities Include:**

- Provides crisis intervention and prevention services for youth of all ages and occasionally for other CICC clients, who experienced domestic abuse, have complex socio-emotional, behavioral, and developmental needs, or were exposed to violent relationships, sexual abuse, substance abuse, trauma, etc.
- Strives to make a positive change in the lives of at-risk children and youth by providing safe and inviting environment through the planning and delivery of programs and activities that will guide and support children and youth in their emotional, intellectual, social, and educational development, thus helping them reach their full potential in society.
- Provides psycho-educational group sessions and individual sessions.
- Develops, organizes, and provides presentations to enhance public awareness and educate community, especially focusing on children and youth, to address issues of domestic abuse, child abuse, effects of abuse on children, sexual assault, healthy relationships, etc.
- Ensures that materials and supplies necessary to execute the program are readily available, including running errands such as obtaining groceries for the TAYA Lounge program.
- Responds to 24-hour Crisis Line and administrative phone calls.

**Qualifications/Requirements:**

- Degree in Psychology, Social Work, or related field.
- Minimum of two years experience working with children and at-risk youth with complex social-emotional, behavioural, and developmental needs, who experienced domestic, sexual and/or substance abuse. Knowledge of crisis intervention, play therapy preferred.
- Ability to remain neutral and emotionally unattached, yet still show empathy and compassion.
- Excellent knowledge of case management principles, strong verbal, and written communication skills.
- Must possess sensitivity, maturity, dedication, self-reliance, independence, strong work ethics and ability to work in a stressful environment.
- Ability to work effectively autonomously and in a team environment.

**Compensation:** Statutory benefits. Salary depends on qualifications and experience.

**We encourage qualified candidates to apply by sending a cover letter, resume and two professional references via email to: [ania.milanowska@cicc.ky](mailto:ania.milanowska@cicc.ky) The deadline for receipt of resumes is the 10<sup>th</sup> of May 2024. Any applications received after this time will not be eligible for consideration.**

**We thank all for applying, however only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.**