SENTINEL PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Sentinel Public Schools Homeless Coordinator

Job Title: Sentinel Public Schools Homeless Coordinator

Qualifications: Possess a minimum of a Bachelor's degree from an accredited university.

Reports to: Superintendent

Essential Job Functions:

- 1. Develop and plan a comprehensive program for homeless children, youth and their families. Develop policies and procedures for enrolling homeless children and youth.
- 2. Assist the homeless student's parents in locating and using health, educational, and social service resources.
- 3. Make visits to the shelters and gather data to assist and enable district staff to better meet the needs of students.
- 4. Make school visits to confer with building level coordinators regarding students' progress and welfare to assist them with social adjustment and transition.
- 5. Work cooperatively with shelter staff to assist students with adjustment.
- 6. Provide input on each homeless student's social history and welfare, overall diagnostic and individualized program, including referrals to outside agencies, remedial education and other services.
- 7. Maintain appropriate records and files for adequate case management.
- 8. Work closely with community outreach agencies and public health, welfare and social services agencies who work with and for schools and students to ascertain additional social services.
- 9. Maintain and continually update a directory of referral services to be utilized in crisis situations affecting program students such as child abuse, family crisis, family displacement, unemployment, and chemical abuse.
- 10. Utilize case and team management practices by working closely with all district staff.