Job Description – Special Populations Case Aide (Ukrainian)

Position Summary:

The Special Populations Case Aide provides trauma-informed services to specific groups not traveling through the typical resettlement process, such as Ukrainian Humanitarian Parolees (UHPs) and other Office of Refugee Resettlement-eligible clients. This position conducts intakes, provides outreach to the community, delivers core program services, and provides language access.

Responsibilities:

- 1. Conduct intakes for Special Populations, including Ukrainian Humanitarian Parolees (UHPs) new to the agency.
- 2. Assess existing supports as well as service gaps and needs for UHPs.
- 3. Ensure that clients are provided core services, including health department screenings, applying for social security and welfare benefits, medical care, and all other required services under the program.
- 4. Complete required programmatic documentation including case notes, database entries, and any other systems as required.
- 5. Link clients with appropriate educational, health, and social services.
- 6. Facilitate and/or support training as necessary, through a variety of communication methods, including telephone, online, in-person, and group settings.
- 7. Assist clients to attain their established goals, address challenges, and utilize available resources.
- 8. As needed, aid with community orientation and home management.
- 9. Assist with timely services to ensure each client has living essentials and is oriented to their new environment.
- 10. Assist with tracking and reporting.
- 11. Collaborate effectively with coworkers and partner organizations.
- 12. Build and maintain relationships with area service providers for the benefit of clients' ongoing needs.
- 13. Use personal, insured vehicle and/or public transportation to travel and transport clients and materials as needed.
- 14. Provide interpretation and translation services.
- 15. Educate clients about resources including transportation, employment, and US laws and norms.
- 16. Collaborate with other staff members to creatively address barriers to self-sufficiency.
- 17. Participate in the emergency phone and airport rotation.
- 18. Serve as a cultural liaison for staff members on Ukrainian culture and practices.
- 19. Attend department and staff meetings.
- 20. Other responsibilities as assigned by supervisor.

Position Criteria:

- Bachelor's degree or equivalent experience.
- Fluency in Ukrainian, Russian, or another relevant second language is required.
- Must have experience working in a cross-cultural environment.
- Must be able to effectively communicate with staff of diverse cultural and language backgrounds.
- Must have a high level of organizational skill and a great attention to detail.
- Must have PC proficiency, with competency in Microsoft Office applications.
- Able to work occasionally outside of normal business hours.
- Ability to complete tasks independently, thoroughly, and on time.
- Proactive communicator and able to work closely with a team.
- Must have a vehicle, valid license, and auto insurance, or otherwise have access to safe, timely, and reliable transportation.