



Families First in Essex County, Inc. is Growing! – 9.2024

Families First, a small, unique, not for profit agency, based in Elizabethtown, NY, that works with children (who have emotional and/or behavioral challenges, often with a mental health diagnosis) and their families is growing! We are seeking creative individuals wanted for multiple positions. All positions require reliable transportation and flexible hours!

Children/Family Direct Service Providers (DSP): Full Time, High School Diploma and one year of human service experience required; afternoon, evening and weekend hours are a must.

Youth Peer Advocate (YPA): Full -Time, High School Diploma and one year of human service experience required, evening and weekend hours are a must. Applicant must be between the ages of 18 -30 years old and have “lived experience” in the mental health and/or behavioral health arena.

Family Peer Advocate (FPA): Full -Time, High School Diploma and one year of human service experience required, evening and weekend hours are a must. Applicant must have “lived experience” as a parent or caregiver who has navigated multiple child serving systems on behalf of their child with emotional/behavioral health needs.

Children Direct Service Professional (DS Prof.): Full Time, BA Degree in a human service field and one year of human service experience required; afternoon, evening and weekend hours are a must

Children’s Health Home Care Manager (HH Care Mgr.): Full Time, BA Degree in a human service field with one year of experience required; flexible schedule required.

Families First in Essex County, Inc. cares. We care about youth and their families. We care about the communities in which we work. We care about our staff. We strive not only to provide the highest quality services for our community, but also to ensure a well-cared-for staff. We offer competitive wages, a generous time-off package and a comprehensive array of benefits including mileage reimbursement for work-related travel, health insurance, 401k, flexible wellness benefit, etc. To work at our agency is to work in a professional, supportive and flexible environment.

If you would like to make a difference in our community helping youth and families who are struggling with varieties of issues, please send us your resume. We have positions available for professionals in human services as well as people who have no experience but are passionate about people and having a positive impact on their lives and futures.

Apply!

**For details, questions or to apply: Contact JoAnne Caswell, CEO at 518 802 8707
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