



POTTER CHILDREN'S HOME AND FAMILY MINISTRIES
2350 Nashville Road
Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101

MENTOR COUPLE JOB DESCRIPTION

Position Summary: The mentor couple is a family that lives on campus and serves as positive Christian examples to single mothers and their children. They will work as a part of a team to build and maintain positive relationships with residents and provide physical, emotional and spiritual support. This is not a paid position, but housing, utilities, access to a food pantry and a small stipend are provided. It is expected that the wife will not be employed outside the home so she is available for the residents.

Role of Mentor Couple

1. Consistently serve as a trustworthy Christian role model to all residents.
2. Use interests, talents and abilities to build authentic relationships and be a positive example, specifically to residents and children in their unit.
3. Encourage and support parents and children in attaining their program goals.
4. Assist the SPARK Treatment Team in various ways as available, such as providing transportation, attending group activities, etc.
5. Be accessible to parents and children during emergency/crisis moments.

Minimum Time Commitment

1. Initial one-year commitment is requested.
2. Active and willing participation in initial and ongoing training, including CPR/First Aid.
3. At least one hour weekly face-to-face social interaction with each family in your unit.
4. Conference with SPARK staff approximately once a week concerning relationships.
5. Occasional participation in campus social gatherings.

Qualification Requirements

1. Faithful members of the church of Christ
2. Physically active
3. Pattern of maintaining confidentiality
4. Both spouses drive and have dependable personal transportation with auto insurance
5. Function well as a couple and independently
6. Positive, cooperative spirit
7. Able to create structure, yet comfortable with flexibility
8. Healthy relationships with personal family
9. Willingness to follow organization leadership and adhere to program policies and procedures
10. Practice of moral, ethical, and legal behavior in all aspects
11. Clear criminal and neglect/abuse record

Benefits

1. Housing
2. Utilities (includes electricity, water, garbage pickup)

- 3. Cable
- 4. Non-perishable food and household goods from the pantry
- 5. \$500 monthly stipend for social activities with single parent families

Our signatures indicate we understand and accept the responsibilities of a Mentor Couple at Potter Children's Home and Family Ministries.

Mentor

Date

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Date

Minister of Family Services

Date