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Community Development Institute Head Start
Serving the Texas Wintergarden
Vacancy Notice

CDI Head Start Serving the Texas Wintergarden is currently seeking applicants for the following positions:
Program Aide: Camp Wood EHS/HS, Rocksprings HS, Brackettville EHS/HS, Batesville HS, La Pryor HS/EHS, Leakey HS, Old Town HS, Niños De Uvalde, Niños De Cristal, Sabinal HS.

This position works as a part of a team to assist in activities in the areas of the classroom, kitchen and bus, receptionist, and/or to serve as a disabilities aide as needed. This position contains elements of the job descriptions of position titled teacher assistant, classroom aide, bus aide, custodial aide and kitchen aide as well as requiring some light cleaning duties and as a disabilities aide providing support for children with disabilities. This is an entry level position. The minimum requirement is that the individual be 18 years of age. If person hired does not have a high school diploma or G.E.D., must be willing and able to take G.E.D preparation courses on own time and continue to complete them successfully to retain job within timeframe set by CDI. Must be willing and able to obtain Basic First Aid, CPR Certification and Food Handler Certification and maintain certification.

Teacher Infant/Toddler: Niños de Uvalde (full year)
This position serves a caregiver in a classroom of early Head Start children by planning, implementing, and supervising all classroom activities. This position may work with infants and toddlers with development delays. Minimum requirement is a CDA credential with infant/toddler endorsement or to be enrolled in CDA training and able to obtain the credential within 1 year of hire into the Teacher position. Experience working with infants and toddlers is required. An AA or higher in early Childhood Education or other AA degree or higher with 6 courses in early childhood education plus six months, experience working with infants and toddlers is preferred.

Cook - Camp Wood EHS/HS (full year)
The position of cook is one role in a large system of services provided to children and families. This position is responsible for the ordering, preparing, serving and documentation of meals and snacks. It includes following menus and all phases of kitchen operations and functioning of the kitchen in adherence to health and food safety codes and the strict cleanliness of the kitchen and food service and storage areas. A high school diploma or GED is required plus food preparation experience. Must be willing and able to obtain and maintain Basic First Aid, CPR certification, Food Handlers Certification. Acceptable tuberculosis screening results, a clear criminal records check and an initial health exam are required post job offer and prior to employment.

Applications and copies of job descriptions may be obtained by calling 830-591-2393 or coming by 602 E. Main Street, Uvalde, TX between 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., at any Head Start Center or requesting an application via e-mail from Elizabeth Chavez, Human Resources at elizabeth.chavez@txwghs.org. Closing date is Friday, September 4, 2009 or till position fill. Completed applications may be sent to CDI HS serving the Texas Wintergarden at P.O. Box 520, Uvalde, TX 78802. CDI Head Start is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Tourism Director
Texas Hill Country River Region
Uvalde, Texas

Compensation: Commensurate with experience and qualifications.

Position: The candidate will be responsible for all aspects of the day to day activities, some to include overseeing the income and expenditures, promoting the river region and the organizing functions and events. There should be a strong emphasis on business retention, marketing and tourism. The Tourism Director will be responsible for establishing the annual budget for THCR.

Candidate must have excellent communication, people and organizational skills and be able to handle any situation diplomatically. Must have a Bachelors degree or at least three years of related experience, business administration, marketing, communication, hospitality, or related fields. Chamber/Tourism experience preferred.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Adjustment of the City of Uvalde will meet Tuesday, September 15, 2009 at 6:00 P.M. in the Council Chambers, 2nd floor of the City Hall, 100 South Getty St., Uvalde, Texas for the following purpose: open a public hearing to consider and act on the following requests:
(1). Open a public hearing to consider and act on the request of **John D. Estes** applicant, for a variance (setback requirements) from Chapter 15.24, Minimum Yards Section 17.24.020, General Rules, Uvalde Municipal Code, to install a 18 ft X 21 ft Carport in the front yard of **902 East Garden Street, NCB 242, Burns & Campbell Addition, Block A, Lot 10, City of Uvalde, Uvalde County, Texas.**
(2). Open a public hearing to consider and act on the request of **Alfredo F. Suarez Jr.** applicant, for a variance (setback requirements) from Chapter 15.24, Minimum Yards Section 17.24.020, General Rules, Uvalde Municipal Code, to install a 11 ft. 6 in. X 18 ft. 8 in. carport in the front yard of **313 Cummings Street, NCB 11, Cummings Addition, Block D, Lot 6, City of Uvalde, Uvalde County, Texas.**
In addition, Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Uvalde, Texas will hold public hearings in the City Council Chambers at City Hall, Uvalde, Texas, at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 22, 2009 for receiving public comment and to consider and act on the above-proposed requests. Anyone with special accommodation needs to contact Roberto Avila, Building Official at least 24 hours prior to the meeting at (830) 278-3315.

Public Notice

Andy's Express, 441 S. Gentry will hold a public sale at 10:00 am, Friday, September 4, 2009. The following vehicle will be sold: 1986 Chevy Suburban, Vin # 1G8EC16L3GF113978. Terms of sale, cash only. No refunds, As is. Sale is Final

Legal Notice

Public Hearing Announcement
The City of Camp Wood will be holding a budget hearing at their regular scheduled City Council Meeting on September 14, 2009 at 5:30 pm.



Staff photo by Margaret Palermo

NICE DONATION - AEP Texas President and Chief Operations Officer Pablo Vegas, left, and Tony Arce, AEP Texas community affairs and external affairs officer, hold a check for \$5,162 representing AEP's gift to Community Health Development, Inc., Thursday. From left are Vegas, CHDI Chief Executive Officer Rachel Gonzales-Hanson, Dolores Quiroz, CHDI planning and development officer; Randy Shiede, CHDI board member and county commissioner, Arce and Julio Reyes, vice president of external affairs for AEP Texas.

AEP donates to health center

The new 2.52-acre, three-building Center for Community Wellness facility under construction at 908 S. Evans St. was visited Thursday morning by top AEP Texas officials who were on hand to present a check for \$5,162 to Community Health Development Inc. Chief Executive Officer Rachel Gonzales-Hanson.

The second phase of the Center for Community Wellness, housing expanded services for dental health, a new mental and behavioral health program, a comprehensive disease management program and teaching kitchen, is scheduled to open later this fall.

"We are delighted to announce this wonderful gift from AEP Texas, which includes a \$3,162 incentive payment, through the AEP Texas CARES Program-Energy Efficient for Not-for-Profit Agencies for the installation of a new energy-efficient industrial refrigerator for use in our new teaching kitchen in the Wellness Center," Gonzales-Hanson said.

"The increased well-being of countless lives will result from healthy food preparation and storage classes offered in the teaching kitchen, where this cost-saving appliance will play a vital role. The AEP gift also brings us a step closer to qualifying for the Kresge Foundation challenge funds to help complete the campaign."

"We are deeply grateful to the people of AEP Texas for partnering with us through support of the Center for Community Wellness capital campaign," she said.

Pablo Vegas, AEP Texas president and chief operations officer, Julio Reyes, AEP Texas vice president of external affairs, and Tony Arce, AEP Texas community affairs and external affairs officer, presented the check to represent the cost of two large refrigerators and an electric stove donated to the center by AEP.

The refrigerators and stove were installed Wednesday in the center's new teaching kitchen.

"We are very pleased to help Community Health Development Inc. because it delivers some important health services to residents in a four-county area," Vegas said. "What is equally important is that we've worked with them to help run their operations more energy efficiently, and should help their overall operating costs."

When completed, the Center for Community Wellness will include facilities for exercise and fitness, a new electronic health records system and office space for program staff to administer these new and expanded services.

To date, Community Health Development Inc. has raised 81 percent of the funds needed for completion of the Center for Community Wellness from generous individuals, families, foundations, corporations and public funding agencies.

To request an information packet about the project or to make a donation, contact Gonzales-Hanson or Development Director Chuck Lutke at 830-278-5604, ext. 3100, or by e-mail at chdi@tach.org.

During the visit, Gonzales-Hanson said the expanded services at the new center will include dental care, increasing the number of chairs from four at the present center to 10 at the new center.

Gonzales-Hanson said the new dental facility would speed up access to dental care a great deal.

"We're in a unique situation this year," she told the AEP group. "Normally, we are scrounging for health care staff. Now we have two dentists. Even a psychiatrist is ready to come."

As she took the AEP group on a tour of the facility, Gonzales-Hanson explained that the new facility would bring a number of new jobs to the community, including enough dental technicians to staff the 10 dental chairs in the facility.

At present, the Our Health clinic at 201 S. Evans St. has one dental hygienist and four dental techs. "We need one dental tech for each chair," she explained. "It's different from medical treatment rooms."

She said there is also a new state requirement that dental techs be certified by the state. She explained that Dr. Greg Baber, head of the Our Health dental

department, teaches at The University of Texas Health Science Center's School of Dentistry in San Antonio and will be able to teach the new staff members required skills for certification.

A side benefit of that, said Gonzales-Hanson, is that the technicians would be making better wages and putting more money into the local economy.

She also explained to the AEP visitors that the clinic is open to anyone, regardless of income. "Our mission is to primarily help those who are in need," she said. "Anybody can come in. We have a sliding-fee scale."

"Of patients determined to live in poverty in this entire service area, which includes Uvalde, Real and Edwards counties and part of Zavala County, we are seeing 78 percent of them," she said. "Last year, 12 percent of our patients had private insurance and chose to come see us."

She said the new mental-behavioral health department was set up specifically with the needs of those patients in mind. For some patients, she said, sitting in a waiting room with other patients or small children could be disturbing, so a quiet room was set up to allow them to avoid coming in contact with other patients.

She said a second quiet room was also set up in the area for patients finishing appointments with mental health staff in case that was needed, as well as a private exist from the department.

Many of the rooms are set up with lights that come on when one enters the room, then shut off automatically when one leaves the room. Gonzales-Hanson said that is an energy-efficiency measure to help the environment and to help keep costs down.

The teaching kitchen was set up so staff can teach patients, especially those who are diabetic or pre-diabetic, to prepare healthy meals.

Gonzales-Hanson pointed out the location where a fitness center and administrative offices would eventually be built.

She told the AEP visitors that 100 percent of the Our Health staff and board members have contributed to the project.

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