

“Safe & Sound” Lead Toddler Teacher Needed

Do you have a passion to help others and work with children in your community? Do you want to turn your passion into a career? **We need you** to come and help us to grow! The YWCA Safe & Sound Childcare is seeking loving and energetic **Full-Time Lead Toddler Teacher**. This position is located at our Family Center, which provides emergency shelter and transitions children and families in more permanent housing. This is a PERFECT opportunity for individuals who want to work with children. Join us and see what it’s like to work for a **FIVE STAR** Step-up to quality organization!

Full-time/Monday – Friday; 7:30am – 4:30pm

Responsibilities:

- Responsible for the social & emotional needs of Toddlers (18-36 months) while working alongside an assistant teacher
- Create lesson plans using Creative Curriculum
- Create individualized child development plans
- Performs development screenings for each child
- Create and actively maintain a Professional Development registry
- Provide fun, hands on learning experiences and most importantly, serve as a play partner for the children

Requirements:

- Associates degree in Early Childhood, Child Development, Education or related field required, or a Child Development Associate (CDA)with a Child Care Professional level three on the Ohio Professional Development Network
- Certification in First Aid, CPR, Communicable Disease, and Child Abuse Recognition
- Must be able to recognize and act upon any hazard to a child’s safety and well-being
- Minimum two years’ experience working with toddlers in a licensed childcare setting
- Knowledge of child development
- Strong understanding of Ohio Department of Job and Family Services Child Care Licensing Rules and Step Up to Quality Initiatives; knowledge of Ohio’s Learning Standards.
- Passionate about making a life-changing, social-emotional impact on children & families at YWCA Family Center homeless shelter
- Desire to further the mission of YWCA Columbus: To eliminate racism and empower women

Benefits:

- Work in an environment where you can impact the lives of others each and every day
- Medical, dental, vision insurance to eligible individuals
- Retirement Plan and 401k for eligible employees
- Discounted child care for your children
- Join a team of dedicated professionals who genuinely care about the people they serve

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