

Volunteer Childcare Provider

Work Location:

- The Rainbow Project 831 East Washington Ave. Madison, WI 53703
- Rainbow Project's clinic is accessible on the Madison Metro bus line

The Rainbow Project Mission Statement

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Volunteer Mission Statement

The Rainbow Project volunteers collaborate with the agency and community to contribute to a safe, healthy, and nurturing world for children and families.

Responsibilities and Duties

- Provide childcare during caregiver support groups offered at The Rainbow Project
- Maintain the safety and well-being of the children
- Work alongside other volunteers to supervise children
- Practice patience, limit-setting, and conflict resolution
- Effectively communicate with the caregiver and group facilitator
- Adhere to confidentiality policies

Qualifications

- Minimum of 1 year experience working or volunteering with children under the age of 10
- Available every Friday 4:00-6:00 PM & the second Saturday of each month 10:00 AM- 12:00 PM
- Must be able to pass a caregiver background check
- Preference for those with a background in psychology, social work, early childhood, or a similar field

Commitment Expected

- Minimum commitment of 6 months

Training

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Qualifications

- Minimum of 1 year experience working or volunteering with children under the age of 10
- Flexible schedule with daytime availability (9:00 AM- 5:00 PM)
- Ability to fulfill last minute volunteer requests
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