

## **Instructional Aide**

Position: Instructional Aide

Reports To: House Manager / Executive Director

**Shifts:** Day (6 AM – 4 PM), Evening (4 PM – 11 PM), Overnight (11 PM – 6 AM)

**Type:** Full-Time or Part-Time

### **Summary**

Instructional Aides provide direct care and supervision to youth in the group home. They support daily routines, education, meals, and activities, while ensuring a safe and structured environment. Instructional Aides are key to maintaining consistent, trauma-informed care and positive role modeling.

### **Key Duties**

- Supervise and monitor youth at all times to ensure safety and well-being.
- Assist with daily routines: wake-ups, meals, chores, school prep, and bedtime.
- Support homework, education, and life skills activities.
- Help implement behavior support plans and de-escalation strategies.
- Document shift notes, incidents, and resident progress accurately.
- Participate in outings, appointments, and recreational activities as assigned.
- Maintain cleanliness, organization, and supplies in the home.
- Communicate effectively with House Managers and team members during shift changes.

# **Qualifications**

- High school diploma or GED required.
- Experience in childcare, youth services, or residential care preferred (training provided).
- Strong communication, teamwork, and problem-solving skills.
- Ability to remain calm and supportive in challenging situations.
- Must pass background check, fingerprinting, and drug screening.
- Valid driver's license preferred.

#### **Work Environment**

Residential group home setting with active youth. Requires patience, flexibility, and commitment to structured routines. Must be available for assigned shifts, including evenings, weekends, and holidays.