



Founded in 1974, YouthCare was one of the first shelters to serve runaway and homeless youth on the West Coast. The goal was to help young people find safety today, and build a future for tomorrow. Over four decades, we've defined best practices and developed programs that are a national standard for excellence. Using a youth-centered approach, we ensure that young people experiencing homelessness ages 12-24 have the hope, skills, and confidence to gain long-term stability

YouthCare is currently seeking a **Mental Health Therapist - Bilingual** for Under-18 Housing Services: Under the supervision of the Assistant Director, the **Bilingual Mental Health Therapist** is responsible for providing and coordinating mental health services to young people at YouthCare in the ORR (Office of Refugee Resettlement) funded programs. Duties include initial mental health and risk assessments, one-on-one counseling sessions, facilitation and planning of groups for young people, collaboration with case planning and completion of on-going assessment paperwork. This position requires a high degree of flexibility in responding to emergent needs of young people in crisis and good organizational and documentation skills.

"Casa means working as a team to make these resilient, inspiring kids feel at home while I work on getting them to their new homes in the United States." -YouthCare Staff

"It is an honor to work with these kids. Every day they teach me how to be a better, kinder, stronger, and a more open person. They are so incredibly brave and resilient. Casa is home to me in so many ways, from our clients to our staff to the families we interact with on a regular basis. To me, Casa means strength, acceptance, openness, kindness, hope and love." -YouthCare Staff

Successful candidates will have:

- Verbal and written fluency in the Spanish language.
- Master's Degree in Human Services or related field of study and 2 years of post-graduate direct service delivery experience.
- Experience and credentials must comply with program contract requirements including but not limited to DSHS background check and must be at least 21 years of age.

We offer competitive compensation, medical, dental, vision, paid leave, and transit subsidies! To learn more and apply for this opportunity, please click here: [Mental Health Therapist Bilingual](http://www.youthcare.org/)

YouthCare is an equal opportunity employer. Employment decisions are based on merit and business needs, and not on race, color, citizenship status, national origin, ancestry, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, age, religion, creed, physical or mental disability, marital status, veteran status, political affiliation, or any other factor protected by law. People of Color and Members of the LGBTQ community are strongly encouraged to apply.

