



**FOSTER CARE • COUNSELING • POST-ADOPTION SUPPORT**

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## **JOB OPPORTUNITY!**

**Opportunity Available:** Post Adoption and Kinship Specialist

**Job Qualifications Include:** The Post Adoption & Kinship Specialist shall have at least 6 months experience working with children and families with a demonstrated ability to plan, structure, and execute programs focused on post adoptive services that will be beneficial to adoptive and kinship families. This person must meet the background screening as defined in OAC code 5101:2-5-09. He or she will also demonstrate sensitivity and consideration for the cultural differences among the children and families served by Pathway Caring For Children. This person must also possess a valid driver's license, have a safe driving record, and a car which is safely maintained.

**Description of Position Include:** The Post Adoption & Kinship Specialist will use a Trauma Competent framework in delivering services to children and families. Using the Trust Based Relational Intervention (TBRI) model the Specialist will support parents of "children from hard places" due to neglect, abuse, abandonment, and complex developmental trauma to be able to parent with a balance of connection and correction, with compassion for the child's trauma and with the non-traditional strategies that are necessary to be effective with their children and help their child's brain to develop new pathways so fear is disarmed and trust can be the basis of relationships. This person is a specialized case manager who provides the Family Empowerment service. This specialist may also facilitate support groups for kinship and adoptive families.

**Salary Range:** Will vary based on education, experience and skills

**Hours:** Salary Exempt, full-time position

**Location:** Canton, Ohio

**How to Apply:** Fill out application online at

<https://www.applicantpro.com/openings/pathwaycfc/jobs/2145636-75254>

**Deadline to Apply:** Ongoing until position is filled

