**Agency Name**
Talitha Koum Institute

**Job Title**
Family Partner

**Job Description**
Working in community with Talitha Koum's Clinical Team, the Family Partner’s overall goal is to bring hope and help to Talitha Koum parents with intent to reduce the toxic stress in our children’s homes, thereby improving both their mental health outcomes and our parents’ futures. Interfacing with parents will be on-site at Talitha Koum, by phone follow-up, and during in-home visits. From a strengths-based perspective, the Family Partner will assist in assessing each family’s strengths aimed at flourishing and thriving and barriers that may cause families and their children to languish. This will be done by gathering relevant information about their situation, providing crisis intervention if warranted, contacting and making referrals to other agencies and services, and offering relevant guidance as needed. Full-time position with flexible hours. Be influential in developing this program from the ground up!

**Job Location**
1311 Clay Avenue, Waco, TX 76706

**Salary Range**
$47,000+ depending on education & experience

**Qualifications**
- Master’s in Community Practice or Clinical Social Work and three years’ experience working with parents or families
- OR Bachelor’s in Social Work with five years’ related experience
- More than 90% of our families are African American. To engage cultural affinity, we strongly encourage people of color to apply.

Special Knowledge/Skills:
- Experience working with parents who are affected by issues including neglect, child abuse, domestic violence, mental health, and parental substance abuse as well as racial discrimination, lack of education, and underemployment.
- Ability to participate in on-the-job training to afford strong familiarity with the Neurosequential Model as a framework for addressing our children’s brain development.
- Aptitude for judging the relative costs and benefits of potential social service and health care actions and choosing the most appropriate one.

**Link to application site**
https://www.talithakoum.org/careers

**Application**

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**Application will be accepted until**
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