



## **Foster Family Consultant** *Glynn County, Georgia*

### **FaithBridge Foster Care**

FaithBridge Foster Care is a Christ-centered nonprofit that partners with churches to launch foster care ministries, trains foster families and volunteers and contracts with the government to place children in stable and supportive foster homes. FaithBridge is changing the way America does foster care by mobilizing, organizing and equipping local churches to solve their community's foster care crisis through Christian foster care ministries and the FaithBridge Community of Care™. The FaithBridge model also includes family consultants who act as a liaison with government agencies and offer spiritual insight and support to the foster families. By providing unparalleled support to foster and birth families, FaithBridge shares God's life-changing love in the midst of crisis, and together, we stand in the gap with children and families.

### **Position Summary**

The foster family consultant (FFC) is our unique version of the case management role within a child placing agency. FFCs work closely with the Department of Family and Children Services and the juvenile court system to manage children's deprivation cases toward permanency.

### **Responsibilities**

- Participate in matching foster children with foster families during the placement process
- Ensure each child's safety, permanency and well-being while in foster care
- Frequent home visits and involvement with the child, foster family and birth family.
- Support birth family reunification efforts through birth parent visitations and intentional birth parent support
- Promote foster placement stability through foster parent coaching, 24/7 support, service coordination, spiritual guidance, treatment planning and crisis intervention
- Advocate for each child's best interest by attending all court hearings, panel reviews, family team meetings, educational meetings and other meetings related to child's case

### **Requirements**

- Master's degree in a human services field (social work, psychology, behavioral science, counseling, ministry or theology) or a bachelor's degree with 3 or more years of related experience
- Strong clinical knowledge, particularly in the areas of childhood trauma, family-systems and substance abuse
- Strong coaching, counseling and crisis intervention skills.
- Experience with GA+ SCORE and SHINES preferred but not required
- Georgia RBWO Foundations Certified or waiver eligible is beneficial but not required

### **Interested in applying?**

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