

Job Title	Service Linkage Worker/Navigator
Employer/ Agency	the Montrose Center
Job Description	<p>To assist clients through the provision of advice and assistance in obtaining financial, employment, medical, social, community, legal, and other needed services in support of the continuum of care and the community at large.</p> <p>Duties include, but are not limited to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Service Linkage Worker will provide direct service client contact to clients, families and significant others who have presented for services within the guidelines set forth for the program. This includes face-to-face contacts or phone calls with clients, consultations about clients with family members or other service agencies and up to 4 hours per month in client specific case consultation with the Program Coordinator.2. Complete psychosocial assessments which emphasize strengths and needs. Work in collaboration with the client and interdisciplinary team to develop individualized service plans that address areas of need identified in the psychosocial assessment. Follow-up with clients and re-assess clients as need. Revise service plan as needed.3. Act as an advocate for the client with other agencies and institutions. This includes home visits and accompanying clients to other service provider appointments. Identify early in the relationship any risk factors that might cause the client to disengage from services. Work to reduce those barriers/triggers that may cause the client to drop out of care.4. Assist client and caretaker in the implementation of the plan, brokering services where needed and presenting the case to service provider group for consultation with other involved agencies as appropriate. Provide information and referral to clients as requested or assessed during the course of a session.5. Assist clients in forming career and financial goals.
Qualifications	<p>Must have a Bachelor's degree from an accredited college/university with a major in social or behavioral sciences, or documented paid work experience in providing client services to PLWHA may be substituted for the Bachelor's degree requirement on a 1:1 basis (1 year of documented paid experience may be substituted for 1 year of college). Must have a working knowledge of local resources (financial, educational, and employment).</p>

	A minimum of one (1) year paid work experience with persons with HIV/AIDS
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City, State, Zip	Houston TX 77006
Application Method	https://montrosecenter.bamboohr.com/careers/133
Opening Date	Immediately

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