



# Family Building Blocks

## EHS BILINGUAL HOME VISITOR

Contact [htorres@familybuildingblocks.org](mailto:htorres@familybuildingblocks.org) to apply

### OPEN UNTIL FILLED

**CLASSIFICATION:** Nonexempt

**WORK SCHEDULE:** Regular, FT/40 hr/wk, M-F

**SALARY:** TBD

**LOCATION:** Helen's Place, 180 18<sup>th</sup> St. SE, Salem, OR 97301

### PRIMARY PURPOSE

The Early Head Start (EHS) Home-based Teacher at Family Building Blocks encourages the development of a safe, nurturing home learning environment for infants and toddlers, identifying family strengths and recognizing parents as the child's first teachers. Weekly home visits to families focus on child development and family support in the following ways: giving parents additional tools to be their child's first teacher and advocate, providing developmentally appropriate parenting information, supporting family goals, health tracking, completing developmental screenings and assessment for children, and helping families access to community resources. The Home-based Teacher also offers twice-monthly group socializations for families to support their child in a group learning environment. This position serves EHS families voluntarily participating in a two-year long research and evaluation project requiring families to respond to research-specific questionnaires and surveys at regular intervals. All activities occur in accordance with the Head Start Performance Standards, and the Head Start Act.

### MINIMUM EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE

- Child Development Associate Credential (CDA), or an AA in Early Childhood or a related field
- One year relevant experience relating to providing social work, including demonstrated experience working with infant/child development and at risk families, also including work experience in parent education, home visiting, and/or child development setting
- English/Spanish fluency

### PREFERRED EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE

- Previous experience as an Early Head Start Home Visitor or Combo Teacher

Employment offer is contingent upon completion of a Oregon Child Care Division Central Background registry and fingerprinting, review of an acceptable driving record, and a negative drug screening.

Family Building Blocks also provides an excellent benefits package, which includes medical, dental, and vision coverage. Other benefits also include generous PTO/holidays as well as voluntary life and disability insurance, and 401K after one year.

Family Building Blocks is an affirmative action/EEO employer. Believing that diversity contributes to program excellence and to mutual respect and understanding, FBB is committed to recruiting and retaining diversity in our Board and staff. We seek applicants who bring varied experiences, perspectives, and backgrounds.