**POSTING: Family Support & Treatment Center VISTA**

**Title: School Readiness in Children with Social and Emotional Challenges**

Thirty-seven million Americans live in poverty. Through AmeriCorps VISTA, you can make a REAL difference.   
  
Become an AmeriCorps VISTA at the United Way of Utah County. AmeriCorps VISTA is a national program where community members have the opportunity to serve in local nonprofits for one year helping eliminate poverty. In return for service, members receive a living allowance, health insurance and other benefits.

An AmeriCorps VISTA position is open in Orem at the Family Support and Treatment Center to develop and expand services to children with social and emotional challenges that impact their ability to prepare for and succeed in school. This VISTA is needed to help create partnerships with pre-schools and Title 1 schools that cater to children living in poverty. Presentations to school personnel and parents, grant writing, and creating/administering an evaluation of the program will be required.

VISTA is needed to start on August 11th. Position is one year starting with a pre-service orientation in Los Angeles (expenses paid by the VISTA program) from August 4-7th.

Benefits:   
-Living Allowance ($946 a month pre-taxes),   
-A $5,550 education award or $1,500 cash stipend upon completion of one year

-Health Coverage   
-Relocation Allowance   
-Childcare assistance, if eligible   
  
Requirements:   
-Full-time (40 hours per week) service for one year without school or other work commitments   
-Some college experience   
-At least 18 years of age   
-General office and computer skills   
  
TO APPLY: Email resume and cover letter to the Family Support & Treatment Center by June 3rd at: [receptionist@utahvalleyfamilysupport.org](mailto:receptionist@utahvalleyfamilysupport.org). An online application with AmeriCorps is also required after the interview process is complete.