Director, Child Trauma Response Team
Safe Horizon is the nation’s leading victim assistance organization, touching the lives of 250,000 people each year who have been impacted by violence. Safe Horizon provides a holistic array of services to victims of child abuse, domestic violence, rape and sexual assault, human trafficking and other crimes through a network of more than 50 program locations throughout the five boroughs of New York City.

The **Child Trauma Response Team (CTRT)** is informed by a national model of law enforcement-mental health collaboration designed to reduce the negative impact of children’s exposure to violence. The CTRT, comprised of an interdisciplinary team representing the NYPD-23rd Precinct, Manhattan District Attorney’s Office (DANY) and Safe Horizon, will coordinate the identification and acute response to children under the age of 18 who are exposed to severe domestic violence and will strive to provide trauma-focused, coordinated, follow-up services aimed to prevent the onset of a posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD). The **Child Trauma Response Team Director** will lead all program start-up activities and assist in coordinating Safe Horizon’s array of internal services, which will likely include those provided at the 23rd Police Precinct, Manhattan Community Office Program (MCPO), Manhattan Family Justice Center and Counseling Center (SHCC). The Director will provide clinical leadership, vision and expert consultation and strategic coordination to staff and the interdisciplinary team, on all aspects of the CTRT response. In the first year of this demonstration project it is particularly important for the CTRT Director to maintain a high level of accessibility and responsiveness (including after-hours) to the interdisciplinary team to facilitate the collaboration within the team and the development of the program. Qualifications include: Graduate Degree in Social Work or related field required, clinical licensure required, minimum of 5 years clinical experience w/ abused children, bi-lingual (English/Spanish) preferred. To find out more, or to apply visit: [safehorizon.org](http://safehorizon.org).