



Marisol Alcalá

Marisol Alcalá is the Family Engagement Coordinator at Cornerstone Craftsman. Driven by her commitment to empower families, she holds a dual bachelor's degree in Psychology and Criminal Justice from Virginia Commonwealth University and is currently pursuing her master's degree in Clinical Mental Health Counseling.

With over two years at Family Lifeline, a Richmond-based nonprofit, Marisol specialized in early childhood development and parent education, utilizing motivational interviewing and trauma-informed care to connect families with essential resources. Her work included home visits to understand family dynamics, with a focus on Spanish-speaking and rural communities. Most recently, she supported new mothers at VCU Hospital, collaborating with healthcare professionals to create nurturing environments.

Previously, at Kingsville, Marisol helped teens understand their emotions and provided counseling interventions for children with disabilities, improving family dynamics and resource connections. She also offered case management and support services to adults in transitional housing, addressing behavioral issues and enhancing communication, stress management, and daily living skills.

Through her diverse experiences, Marisol champions family engagement and enriches her community.