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Job Title Program Manager - Jobs Plus

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Category Instruction and Social Service

Location OFFICE OF SR. UNIV DEAN FOR ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

Department NYC Human Resources Administration/Caree

Status Full Time

Annual Salary \$80,000.00 - \$80,000.00

Hour(s) a Week 35

Closing Date May 24, 2022 (Or Until Filled)

General Description

The New York City Human Resources Administration/Department of Social Services, Career Services is seeking a full-time Jobs Plus Program Manager through an HRA grant-funded position with the Research Foundation of the City University of New York. The Program Manager will work within HRA's Employment & Supportive Services Administration.

HRA/DSS provides temporary assistance to individuals and families with social and economic needs. The assistance is geared towards helping individuals and families reach self-sufficiency via essential and diverse programs/services, including: temporary cash assistance, public health insurance, Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), child care, adult protective services, domestic violence assistance, HIV/AIDS support services and child support enforcement. Career Services employees help provide unique individual services to clients that offer sustainable employment plans and self-sufficiency support to overcome barriers to employment.

The Jobs Plus program offers employment-related services to all working-aged NYCHA residents in one or a cluster of public housing developments. Jobs Plus's goal is to help residents secure and retain employment, have access to job readiness trainings; job search assistance; referrals to and on-going support for work, adult education, literacy programs; and ongoing case management and career counseling. **Jobs-Plus sites are operated by not-for profit and for profit service providers.** This includes twelve (12) locations throughout 44 New York City Housing Authority (NYCHA) developments across the city and approx. \$30M in funding over a 3-year period.

Primary Duties and Responsibilities

- Coordinate efforts of internal and external stakeholders, organizations, and agencies in order to develop cooperative relationships that enhance the services provided to Jobs-Plus members.
- Research innovative strategies and identify best practices for Jobs-Plus vendors to help members achieve their jobs and economic security goals.
- Serve as a liaison between Jobs-Plus vendors and HRA contract milestone processing unity by managing the timely submission of milestones ensuring performance payments are processed, resolving systems

- related issues and helping to develop efficient workflows.
- Assist in the ramp-up of new Jobs Plus sites, including site visits to new sites and preparation of training materials for vendor staff.
- Provide technical assistance to Jobs-Plus sites upon request, participate in quarterly site visits to Jobs-Plus locations and assist in planning for ongoing workshops for providers.
- Develop and utilize reports to conduct data analyses and monitor progress toward program benchmarks and goals for Jobs-Plus participants.
- Prepare management reports for the Jobs Plus program through the compilation of parodic program statistics, fiscal data reports and site visits.
- Participate in an agency collaborative for administration of Jobs-Plus with other agencies.
- Works with Jobs-Plus Site Directors to coordinate, plan, and schedule special career, technical or educational events for members of the Jobs Plus program.
- Through site visits, engagement calls, staff scheduling for special events and capacity building trainings, will ensure that Jobs-Plus sites are closely intertwined with their communities and works in adherence to scope of services set by HRA.
- Participates in leadership meetings: sharing programmatic updates and resources.
- Inform Jobs-Plus Site Directors of community events, community and or city sponsored trainings and recruitment information such as job/resource fairs, internet resources, etc.

Other Duties

- Assists with database management, data cleaning and reviewing data quality submitted by Jobs-Plus sites.
- Assist in the training and implementation of Salesforce use at Jobs-Plus sites.
- Compile and organize past data for accurate filing and program management.
- Actively research, engage, and cultivate relationships with Community Based Programs and industry partners.
- Maintain and contribute to a network community partner engagement list aimed at providing additional resources to Jobs-Plus sites.
- Respond to inquiries and concerns from Jobs-Plus Site Directors in a timely and professional manner.
- Completes all necessary reports: including monitoring notes, data collection.
- Other duties as requested.

Qualifications

A baccalaureate degree from an accredited college and three years of professional experience in workforce development, economic development or a related field.

Preferred Skills:

- Self-motivated individual who takes initiative and can learn quickly
- Project and program management experience related to employment programs for low income individuals
- Extremely detail oriented
- Strong organizational analytical, problem solving and leadership skills
- Intermediate to expert proficiency in Microsoft office
- Demonstrated ability to create successful collaboration among diverse stakeholders
- Knowledge and or experience providing services to individuals accessing housing supports- NYCHA housing or related services
- Ability to prepare and maintain accurate records, files, manage correspondence with multiple organization leaders, review and submit reports and other documents related to development of Jobs-Plus
- Superior communication skills (oral/written)
- Positive attitude and solutions-focused thinking

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