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OPEN POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT
PATH Outreach Worker/Supportive Housing Specialist
Supportive Housing
1.0 FTE

Purpose:

This position is responsible to engage and provide direct support to those experiencing homeless or those who have been assessed within the Coordinated Entry system for long-term homeless and are referred to the program. PATH Outreach places emphasis on assessing and connecting individuals to housing or other services needed. Supportive Housing places emphasis on promoting independence for individuals through development and building on participant's strengths to assist them in finding and maintaining housing.

Education and Experience:

- The PATH Outreach Worker/Housing Support Specialist shall be qualified under Minnesota law as follows:
 - Has an associate of arts degree in one of the behavioral sciences or health and human services-related field; or
 - One year experience working with persons who have experienced long-term homelessness, addiction and mental illness; or
 - Experience as a Minnesota Department of Human Services Certified Peer Specialist; or
 - Meets the requirements of unlicensed personnel in licensed home care settings, i.e. three years of life experience as a primary care giver to an adult with a serious mental illness or traumatic brain injury.
- Experience in psychosocial rehabilitation program is desired.
- Bachelor's Degree is preferred
- Experience working with diverse populations is desired.

Additional Requirements:

- Must be ambulatory and able to negotiate stairways.
- A valid Driver's License, reliable vehicle, satisfactory driving record and necessary insurance.
- The ability to lift and carry heavy weights (e.g., moving household furnishings, carrying groceries) that could be up to or even exceed 40 pounds.
- The ability to perform CPR and First Aid, and respond to emergency situations.
- Must not be actively receiving services from Guild Incorporated and must not have received services within the last two years.

Key Responsibilities:

- Assist tenants in acquiring the skills needed to live in the community.
- Maintain continuity and coordination of services to tenants.
- Ensure services are documented in individual records so information is readily available, results of services can be determined, and record-keeping standards are met.
- Ensure the tenants' residences are clean, healthy and safe.
- Ensure safe environment by providing crisis assessment and safety interventions.
- Promote an inclusive, diverse, culturally competent and respectful work environment.

About Guild Incorporated:

Guild Incorporated helps individuals with mental illness lead quality lives. We provide an array of recovery-focused, community treatment and rehabilitation services for individuals 16 and older who have serious mental illnesses such as schizophrenia, schizoaffective disorder, and bipolar disorder. On any given day, Guild staff serves nearly 900 individuals in the Twin Cities metro area. Services are mobile, provided in the community when and where needed.

Delancey Services use a "housing first" approach to help individuals who have histories of long-term homelessness compounded by mental illness, substance use, chronic health conditions, and trauma to improve their quality of life.

To Apply: Please send your cover letter and resume to: **Open until filled with initial review of applications on May 30th.**

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