

# LAC COURTE OREILLES COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER 13380 W Trepania Road • Hayward, Wisconsin 54843-2186

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**Position:** Prevention Specialist (3 year grant position)

**Location:** Lac Courte Oreilles Community Health Center

**Hours:** Monday –Friday 8:00am-4:30pm but flexible hours for evening

events

**Salary Range:** \$13.00 - \$17.00 per hour

**Posting Date:** September 10, 2018

Closing Date: September 21, 2018

#### **Description of Position:**

The Prevention Specialist work closely with the Community Advisory Board, clinic staff, AODA/Mental Health Therapists and community at large to identify, select and implement evidence-based practice/practice based evidence prevention strategies for suicide prevention among tribal youth; including culturally-appropriate suicide screening, treatment, and follow-up protocols for high-risk individuals in the tribal community. Will reduce risk factors and increase protective factors associated with suicide. Incorporate the Medical Home Model Approach for implementation of best practice strategies.

#### **Qualifications:**

- High School Diploma or equivalency required
- Associate's Degree in Prevention or Substance Abuse Counseling or Related Field preferred.
- Experience in providing substance abuse prevention and suicide prevention education and programming to Native American Communities preferred.
- Experience and knowledge of local tribal culture and customs.
- Knowledge of an Electronic Health Record highly preferred.
- Knowledge and experience of internet software; Spreadsheet software, Excel and Word Processing, MS Office, including Outlook Software required.
- Must have strong communication skills and time management skills.
- Must be able to pass a background/caregiver check.
- Must be able to pass pre-employment drug screen and random drug screens.
- Must have Valid WI Drivers License.
- Must have sufficient vehicle insurance coverage.
- Must abide by all HIPAA rules and regulations.

## **Major Duties and Responsibilities:**

- 1. Continuously Work and collaborate with the Lac Courte Oreilles youth and community on suicide and substance abuse prevention.
- 2. Collaborate to create all local tribal Native Connections project activities.
- 3. Collect, store and compile local tribal project documentation and data.
- 4. Work closely with clinic staff and Community Advisory Board to collect, analyze and report on youth behavioral health data as required.
- 5. Oversee SAMHSA grant activities work with assigned evaluator and governmental project staff, and submit required progress reports.
- 6. Maintain a professional and personal code of conduct which corresponds to the Native Connections goals.
- 7. Assist in the assessment for training/technical assistance needs and provide, as necessary, utilizing partnerships for youth suicide prevention.
- 8 Implement and report on suicide prevention and/or behavioral health data to key stakeholders in the community.

- 9. Promotes the prevention models of:
- · Strategic Prevention Framework
- · Risk and Protective Factors/Assessment
- · Prevention Strategies and Principles.
- 10. Analyze data for trends in alcohol, tobacco, suicide and other drug use.
- 11. Collect and utilize current local data to develop and implement a plan for prevention strategies.
- 12. Participate in planning groups to incorporate prevention techniques.
- 13. Be a leader in collaborative planning.
- 14. Participate in developing new and/or strengthen existing community coalitions.
- 15. Advocate for prevention services.
- 16. Reporting of Adverse Incidents according to policy.
- 17. Participate in Incident Command as directed by management.
- 18. All other duties assigned by the Behavioral Health Administrator.

#### **Supervision and Guidance:**

The Youth Prevention Coordinator will work under the direct supervision of the Behavioral Health Administrator with oversight by the Health Director.

\*Applicants for employment with the Health Center must submit with the completed application form additional documents including the following:

Letter of Interest Resume Credentials Proof of any stated Qualifications Three (3) current letters of recommendation Academic transcripts

## **Application Information:**

Applications may be obtained from and submitted to:

Lac Courte Oreilles Community Health Center Sara Klecan, Human Resources Director 13380W Trepania Road Hayward, Wisconsin 54843

# (715) 638-5132 (715) 634-6107 FAX

The Lac Courte Oreilles Community Health Center is an equal opportunity employer. Native American Preference will be given to candidates of equal or comparable qualifications.

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