VIOLENCE PREVENTION EDUCATOR JOB DESCRIPTION

The Phoenix Center at Auraria

Title: Violence Prevention Educator (VPE) (Six positions)

Purpose: Violence Prevention Educators will be trained to provide consistent, thorough information about domestic/dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking, and related topics to the Auraria Campus Community. They will be involved in the design of prevention and education programs and their implementation. VPE’s will actively engage in campus awareness activities, classroom presentations, and educational presentations to various campus groups. We serve the University of Colorado Denver, Metro State College of Denver, the Community College of Denver, and the Auraria Higher Education Center. This position does not provide crisis response and/or victim advocacy.

Reports To: Associate Director, Interpersonal Violence Prevention

Duties:
- 8-12 hours week;
- Participate in the design and implementation of presentation curriculum and awareness programs;
- Participate in at least two presentation/awareness activities each semester;
- Complete at least two tabling outreach activities each semester;
- Actively seek opportunities for outreach and education;
- Respond promptly to any Center staff member who communicates with you requesting volunteers for upcoming events;
- Complete necessary reports documenting services rendered and activities performed;
- Represent the Center in a positive and professional manner;
- Attend monthly Center staff meetings;
- Staff the Center as needed;
- Receive regular ongoing supervision and training individually and/or in a group setting.

Requirements:
- Successfully complete a 25 hour mandatory training and additional in-service trainings as necessary;
- Must submit to a background check;
- Must be at least 18 years of age;
- Must have an open and non-judgmental attitude and a demonstrated commitment to diversity;
- Must demonstrate initiative - prior programming/presentation experience a plus;
- One year commitment to the program;
- Adhere to strict policy of confidentiality;
- Must share program philosophy and remain in good standing with the program;
- Closure on any issues/victimization with sexual assault, relationship violence, or stalking;
- VPE position is an eligible work study position and Internship position.

Benefits: VPEs will be provided with in-depth and ongoing training in dynamics of victimization and will gain direct experience in providing education to our large campus community on interpersonal violence. VPEs will develop strong presentation, facilitation, and leadership skills through participation in this opportunity.