



Position: Outreach and Engagement Specialist (Malibu)
Department: Turning Point

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Summary

Under the supervision of the Program Manager, the Outreach and Engagement Specialist is responsible for:

Essential Duties & Responsibilities

1. Serving as a member of OPCC's new Malibu Outreach and Engagement Team, provide outreach services to homeless individuals residing on the streets, beaches, parks and public areas of Malibu.
2. Link individuals who are homeless to the range of integrated, comprehensive services provided by OPCC.
3. Perform assessments of needs of individuals encountered.
4. Serve as liaison with members of the Malibu community, including residents, business owners, and member of the faith community providing information and education about homeless issues and available resources.
5. Attend Malibu community stakeholder meetings (along with other team members) and discuss progress and challenges.
6. Coordinate with local providers of emergency services, including police, fire and paramedics around emergency issues of specific individuals.
7. Maintain appropriate data and records of contacts.
8. Work as part of a larger interdisciplinary team at OPCC's Turning Point Program, interfacing with multiple staff around client issues.

Qualifications

1. Excellent interpersonal skills to be able to interact with multiple individuals, including clients, staff, community residents, business owners, emergency personnel and other service providers; ability to be sensitive to and interact well with people from multiple diverse backgrounds.
2. Excellent writing, organizational and data management skills.
3. Experience working with homeless individuals in a nonprofit environment preferred.
4. Knowledge of mental health issues preferred.
5. Ability to be flexible and to respond to multiple competing demands.
6. Ability to work independently.
7. Commitment to and passion for working with a vulnerable, disadvantaged population.
8. Ability to work as part of an interdisciplinary team in a very dynamic and growing agency.
9. Able to do walking required by outreach nature of the position.
10. Valid CA Driver's License. Bi-Lingual (English/Spanish) preferred.

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