

POSITION TITLE: Director of Victim Services

REPORTS TO: Chief Executive Officer

POSITION SUMMARY: Ensures a coordinated response to assist victims of domestic violence through service provision, program development, staff supervision and community relations.

I. DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

A. Direct Service

- 1. Coordinate the efforts of direct service staff to ensure that victims of domestic violence receive comprehensive and timely support by:
 - a. Tracking in-house referrals
 - b. Attending and/or facilitating client staffing
 - c. Making appropriate referrals to outside agencies as needed
 - d. Monitoring and compiling statistical reports
- 2. Answer crisis line, provide individual and group counseling, case management and advocacy on an as-needed/emergency basis.
 - a. Fill out paperwork associated with each role including: call logs, referrals, intakes, and case notes
 - b. Collaborate with staff to create cohesion and fill gaps

B. Program Development

- 1. Recruit, supervise, and evaluate the following staff positions:
 - a. Domestic Violence Victim Advocate
 - b. Housing Coordinator
 - c. Court Advocate
- 2. Responsible for orientation and training of new staff that you supervise, in-services, and coordinating training with outside agencies.
- 3. Coordinate staff schedules to ensure adequate coverage.
- 4. Work with staff to develop objectives and measurable outcomes.
- 5. Evaluate the effectiveness of all direct service related programs to achieve program objectives, insure accessibility, and to assure excellence in services throughout the three counties.
 - a. Identify opportunities to expand or modify services
 - b. Implement programmatic changes

- c. Create/adjust policies and paperwork accordingly.
- 6. Ensure the provision of best practice/evidence-based, trauma informed services

C. Community Relations

- 2. Foster partnerships to promote cross-training and fluidity in client services.
 - a. Identify appropriate programs and organizations and build collaborative relationships
 - b. Attend and participate in community meetings and forums to learn about other organization's services as well as informing them of My Sister's House services

D. Other

- a. Complete statistics and grant reports
- b. Attend staff meetings
- c. Attend trainings
- d. Complete other duties as assigned

II. QUALIFICATIONS

- A. A Bachelors in social work or related field required. Masters preferred.
- B. Minimum of five years of direct service experience and/or supervisory experience
- C. Knowledge and sensitivity to the issues of domestic violence and sexual assault
- D. Excellent written and oral communication skills
- E. Ability to be non-judgmental and empower victims
- F. Excellent interpersonal and coalition building skills
- G. Ability to accurately represent agency in various settings
- H. Comfortable with public speaking
- I. Valid South Carolina driver's license and clean driving record
- J. Must become and SC Certified Victim Service Provider within one year of employment