

# DIRECTOR OF HEALTH ACCESS INITIATIVES Full Time - Exempt Position

## Job Description

It is the responsibility of every ODVN employee to uphold the mission and purpose of this agency. The Ohio Domestic Violence Network advances the principle that all people have the right to an oppression and violence-free life; fosters change in our economic, social and political systems and brings leadership expertise and best practices to community programs.

In addition, it is the expectation that all staff will communicate ethically and engage in providing excellent customer service. It is also an expectation that on the individual level all staff members will work to further their personal capacity to foster an environment of equitable and inclusive work culture based on the vision, purpose and values of our Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Strategic Action Plan, that is the foundation for all our work.

This job description defines areas for which an individual has primary responsibility and is not intended to limit the scope of the job in any way.

Domestic violence (DV) during COVID-19—also referred to as the shadow pandemic – has increased across the globe. This project will involve creating new on-site, mobile and virtual services that are responsive to the evolving needs of survivors of domestic violence as the disease burden of COVID decreases and the aftermath of the shadow pandemic becomes clearer. It focuses on increasing statewide access to holistic trauma-informed health care by providers who are trained on and understand the health consequences of domestic violence, including physical and behavioral health, as well as brain injury. The project is funded by The American Rescue Plan Covid-19 Testing, Vaccines, and Mobile Health Unit and funding is secured through September of 2025.

## **Primary Job Duties Include:**

- Serve as the Project Director of the ODVN grant from the Office of Criminal Justice Services American Rescue Plan Covid-19 Testing, Vaccines, and Mobile Health Unit program.
- Work collaboratively with evaluation partner The Ohio State University to develop a program
  plan (including logic model) and key timelines and data collection points, as well as an
  evaluation and sustainability plan for the project
- Identify and engage important stakeholders and key partners in the areas of domestic violence, community health centers, other health care providers, and statewide agencies to successfully implement the project.

- Collaborate with public health and other agencies to provide support and access to Covid mitigation strategies for domestic violence victims and programs.
- Coordinate the creation and delivery of mobile health services available to domestic violence victims at domestic violence programs.
- Coordinate the creation of a statewide virtual trauma-informed supportive and telehealth service to address health needs of domestic violence survivors, with a specific focus on behavioral health and brain injury caused by domestic violence.
- Develop a statewide behavioral health access project that recruits, identifies and trains behavioral health providers in domestic violence, trauma-informed approaches, and brain injury.
- Plan and facilitate stakeholder collaboration meetings.
- Write and submit required grant reports.
- Cultivate relationships with agencies across the state working in brain injury, behavioral health, health care, and crime victim services.
- Performs other duties as assigned by the Director of Health and Disability Programs.

#### Preferred Qualifications or Key Competencies:

- Advanced degree in public health or health administration (MPH or MHA) or related field.
- Experience in health care service delivery.
- Background or work in the area of behavioral health and/or brain injury, and familiarity with behavioral health service systems.
- Project management experience with a background in needs assessment, program planning and implementation, data collection and program evaluation.
- Experience with managing budgets preferred.
- Knowledge and experience in virtual and mobile health services.
- Strong relationship building and interpersonal skills, particularly with professionals in multiple systems.
- Strong organizational skills to manage a complex project involving multiple partners and approaches
- Demonstrated ability to handle multiple tasks and work independently.
- Valid driver's license, access to own transportation, and a willingness and ability to travel extensively across Ohio for trainings and meetings with occasional out-of-state trips

**Compensation**: ODVN offers highly competitive salaries based on experience, a generous benefits package including partially paid health insurance for employees and their children; life and short term disability, other health insurance policies at low costs to employees such as dental and vision insurance; Health Savings Account, Flexible Spending Account, retirement plan after one year of employment; and a generous and flexible accrued paid time off benefit.

**Location:** Columbus, Ohio and statewide with potential for remote teleworking to be determined.

## **Application Process:**

We value a diverse workforce and an inclusive culture. ODVN encourages applications from all qualified individuals without regard to race, color, religion, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, age, national origin, marital status, citizenship, disability, or veteran status.

**To apply**: Please submit a resume with a cover letter or equivalent, to Rachel Ramirez at rachelr@odvn.org. Please do not submit anything by mail. No telephone inquiries please.

The review of applications will begin immediately. **Scheduling of initial interviews of first round candidates will begin the week of May 23, 2022** progressing until a qualified applicant is hired.

ODVN is an Equal Opportunity Employer

ODVN recognizes the relationship between domestic violence and oppression. Thus, it is committed to becoming an exemplary diverse, equitable and inclusive organization by:

- Welcoming diverse people and perspectives
- Focusing on areas of inclusion via advocacy, training and leadership

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