



Community Outreach Worker

***Stories Of Our World* - OPTIONS Multicultural Sexual Health Education Team**

Posting Date - **July 6, 2010**

Closing Date - **Ongoing**

Position Type - **Volunteer**

Hours - **Average 4 hrs/week**

Positions Available - **4**

The Community Outreach Worker will work under the direct supervision of Ms Maddalena Genovese, M.Ed., Stories Of Our World Research Facilitator. This is a four month long position to conclude in the Fall of 2010.

Qualifications

- Experience working with youth and/or LGBTQ, visible minority, immigrant and refugee youth;
- Knowledge of challenges faced by the aforementioned populations;
- Knowledge of community agencies that assist this segment of the population;
- Interest in cultural issues;
- Excellent interpersonal skills;
- Comfortable with public speaking;
- Well organized & self-motivated;
- Preferably identify as a member of one of the target groups (i.e., LGBTQ, visible minority, immigrant, and/or refugee);
- Clear criminal record and child welfare intervention check.

Duties

- Promote Stories Of Our World to allied agencies, institutions, gatekeepers, and individuals who fit the study's criteria;
- Assist with presentations to university and college classes;
- Ensure that recruitment agencies are informed about project developments and are circulating recruitment materials regularly;
- Create, edit, and assemble recruitment materials;
- Build Stories Of Our World Facebook page;
- Co-facilitate focus groups;
- Participate to regular research meetings.

Benefits

- Contribute to the development and unfolding of a unique research project;
- Gain valuable knowledge and skills to work and support immigrant, refugee, visible minority LGBTQ youth;
- Network with non-profit organizations and individuals working with this segment of the population;
- Be part of an enthusiastic team that is committed to furthering the wellbeing of LGBTQ newcomer youth.

Anticipated Start Date: Immediate

How to Apply: Please submit a cover-letter and resume to **Maddi Genovese** by email at maddioptions@gmail.com or by fax at 780.425.1782.