

Program Assistant Job Description

POSITION SUMMARY:

The Program Assistant will support the Program Director in the implementation of programs and occasionally special event fundraisers. This is a part-time position (not to exceed 20 hours each week), and hours vary depending on program and event schedules. This position will primarily attend events in the community and biweekly staff meetings in the DSPNT office. This position will report directly to the Program Director. This is a part-time, non-exempt position with a flexible schedule. Will primarily require evening and weekend hours.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS AND JOB RESPONSIBILITIES:

Program Development and Implementation

- Assist with scheduling, coordinating, and implementing day-of program activities.
- Maintain accurate program records, participant data, and reports.
- Communicate with program participants, families, and partners to provide information and support.
- Help prepare program materials, supplies, and communications.
- Manage program volunteers on-site.
- Provide administrative support such as answering phones, managing emails, and maintaining files.
- Participate in team meetings and contribute to program planning and evaluation.
- Perform other duties as assigned to support the success of the organization.

Qualifications

- High school diploma required and associate's or bachelor's degree preferred, or equivalent experience in a nonprofit, education, or social services setting.
- Experience working with individuals with Down syndrome.
- Strong organizational and time management skills with attention to detail.
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills.
- Proficient in Microsoft Office and comfortable learning new software.
- Ability to work independently and collaboratively in a team environment.
- Flexible, dependable, and able to manage multiple priorities.
- Must have a passion for the mission and values of DSPNT.
- Must pass a criminal background check.
- Maintain confidentiality per DSPNT's employee manual.
- Must have a valid drivers license, liability insurance and reliable transportation.