



**Position:** Peer Educator  
**Program/Department:** Brooklyn Community Service- YOUTH STAND UNITED (YSU)  
**Reports to:** Program Director  
**Hours:** Part Time

**Position Summary:**

Peer Educators are employed to provide youth with peer and community support, and are advocates within the program as well as the community. The Peer Educator models professional behavior in the workplace, assists with the coordination of social skills activities, acts as a mentor, provides peer support and advocacy. The Peer Educator also assists with the coordination and planning of leisure activities, workshops, groups and career clubs.

**Responsibilities:**

- Peer Educators will plan and organize events to empower, educate, and support youth in the Youth Stand United program (YSU)
- Work as part of a team along with the Case Manager and Vocational Coordinator to help youth attain her/his GED and vocational goals
- Share personal knowledge, insight, and experience about programs and resources that may be of support to youth in increasing needed skills
- Mentor youth in developing positive peer, family and community relationships
- Assist in organization and implementation of social, recreational and educational programs and events for youth
- Execute daily community outreach to promote the program and increase enrollment
- Provide outreach to youth involved in the program to maintain retention
- Represent youth, program, and agency at City and Statewide gatherings around issues relevant to youth
- Complete all paperwork in a timely and professional manner in compliance with program regulations
- Follow all program and agency requirements as needed
- Participate in agency wide groups and meetings as required
- Assist with development of funding proposals as needed
- Other tasks as may be required.

**Qualifications:**

- Must have High School Diploma or GED/HSE. Some College preferred. Bi-Lingual a plus
- Must be a young adult who has an understanding of emotional and/or behavioral challenges as well as an understanding of mental health providers or programs.

**Qualifications Preferred:**

- Some College preferred. Bi-Lingual a plus

**Contact:**

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