

COASTAL HORIZONS CENTER, INC.

Position Announcement

DATE OF NOTICE: September 15, 2021

JOB TITLE: Peer Support Specialist- Pender County

Coastal Horizons Center, Inc., a recognized leader in behavioral health services in southeastern North Carolina, has an opportunity for a Peer Support Specialist position to become part of our team.

JOB DUTIES/RESPONSIBILITIES:

The Peer Specialist works with clients referred for assistance in accessing and utilizing treatment, mental health, and health care resources due to their complex chronic illness. Their role is to improve positive client outcomes through linking clients to medication management, coordinating care, educating clients, positive role modeling, building trust between clients and their clinical and medical practitioners, supporting and connecting them to community recovery programs, and enhancing communication and the continuity of care.

- ❖ The PSS will also assist in facilitating Intensive Outpatient Program group classes and related services, and provide appropriate documentation in the client record.
- ❖ As the position is working with the IDU community, the peer support specialist will also educate/and or refer to partners for education on safe injecting

Skills / Requirements

Bachelor's degree, combined with knowledge of wellness and recovery-based concepts. Personal history as consumer of behavioral health services preferred, or experience/demonstrated knowledge of care and wellness plan coordination. Must meet criteria for Qualified Professional status.

SALARY: Commensurate with education and experience.

All full and part-time employees, volunteers, interns and contracted staff of Coastal Horizons must adhere to our COVID-19 vaccine policy and are **REQUIRED** to show proof of vaccination at time of hire.

PLEASE SEND RESUME & COVER LETTER TO: (NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE)

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615 SHIPYARD BLVD.
WILMINGTON, NC 28412
ATTN: HR

Or email resume to: jobs@coastalhorizons.org