



CERTIFIED PEER SUPPORT SPECIALIST

Requirement:

- Certification or provisional certification from Howie the Harp, NYS Academy of Peer Services or other accredited provider (if provisional, to be **completed within 6 months of hire.**)
- Spanish Speaking A PLUS

JOB DESCRIPTION:

We are seeking credentialed Peer Support Specialists for our Home and Community Based Services Program (HCBS) located in Brooklyn.

The HCBS Program provides services for Medicaid beneficiaries over 21 years of age with mental illness and/or substance abuse disorders. Services are provided off site (home or any community setting).

QUALIFICATIONS:

- New York State Certified Peer Specialist or provisional certification provided permanent certification is accomplished within (6) six months of hire
- Must have experienced mental health concerns themselves and/or have supported family members through their mental health experiences
- Commitment to Recovery-Oriented Practice
- Positive attitude and professional demeanor
- Ability to complete work independently as well as in collaboration with team members
- Must be team oriented with a willingness to be flexible and helpful.
- Ability to travel daily into any area of Brooklyn and vicinity
- Effective written and oral communication skills
- Computer proficiency in Microsoft Office a MUST
- Ability to learn Electronic Health Record System
- Highly organized, motivated self-starter
- Excellent time management skills.
- High School Diploma or GED
- **SPANISH SPEAKING A PLUS**

PAY RATE: \$20.00 PER HOUR, PLUS BENEFITS

MUST BE FINGERPRINTED AND CLEARED THROUGH NYS JUSTICE CENTER

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