

Youth Engagement Coordinator (One Full-Time Position) – Visalia, CA

The California Health Collaborative is recruiting one full-time Youth Engagement Coordinator for the Youth for Social Justice program, a program designed to reduce stigma and increase youth understanding of substance use disorder through education, advocacy, healing-centered approaches, and engagement with the arts. This position will be based in Visalia which is the primary community for services.

With support from the Program Manager, the Youth Engagement Coordinator will facilitate the authentic engagement of youth in the program's healing-centered, social justice, and policy advocacy campaigns. The Youth Engagement Coordinator will elevate youth voice and support youth-led leadership activities with the intent to educate, reduce and prevent substance use disorder and increase health equity for African American youth. A brief list of job duties include: 1) leading 2-3 weekly youth leadership coalition meetings for middle school or high school students; 2) developing and providing leadership and advocacy training opportunities for youth; 3) leading and supporting youth participation in healing circles; and 4) recruiting and engaging youth in art-based advocacy activities, both on school sites and in the community.

Education/experience requirements include graduation from a college with a bachelor's degree in a field relevant to this project and a minimum of two years of work experience working with African American youth; OR

At least two years of professional experience working with African American youth, and a minimum of two years of experience working with community organizations either professionally or through volunteer work.

To be considered for this position, resumes must be accompanied with a cover letter describing your interest, education, and relevant work experience.

If interested, please submit your resume and cover letter to HR@healthcollaborative.org by 5:00 p.m., July 17, 2020.

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