**MID CENTRAL COMMUNITY ACTION, INC.**

**JOB DESCRIPTION**

**Job Title:** Residential Advocate - CDV

**Position Level**: 3, full-time, hourly, non-exempt

**Supervision Received:** Residential Services Coordinator

**Supervision Given:** None

**Job Summary:**

Responsible for providing quality services to individuals and families experiencing domestic violence

**Specific Skills:**

Dedication and commitment to victims/survivors of domestic violence:

* Provide DV education and parenting skills assistance (as applicable) to residential clients
* Offer cellular phones to victims as needed
* Work with other social service agencies to provide assistance for domestic violence victims
* Assist with public awareness activities & provide community presentations as requested
* Assist with clerical projects, shelter maintenance, donation management as time permits
* Attend conferences and workshops as designated
* Facilitating safety drills

Demonstrate effective client service delivery with sensitivity and confidentiality:

* Ability to handle stressful, crisis situations utilizing sound judgment
* Provide quality services to NH residents and hotline callers, including but not limited to, crisis counseling, safety planning, emotional support, IDVA
* Complete intakes for clients seeking CDV services
* Assist in determining Neville House eligibility and length of stay in conjunction with CDV team
* Provide an age-appropriate shelter orientation for NH adult and child residents, including but not limited to, security/safety procedures and normalization of family services
* Request completion of departure surveys by residential clients

Ability to work in a team environment:

* Assist in completing assessments and creating/updating service plans (as needed)
* Assist in ensuring the documented progression of services needed and received
* Complete RA shift duty list (including shelter checks)
* Complete service logs and all necessary documentation during shift, complete self-check
* Assist in quality assurance as needed
* Assist in providing a safe, nurturing Neville House environment, assist with communal living issues

Effective written and verbal communication skills:

* Maintain confidentiality of all client information, staff information, and shelter location
* Participate in internal and external meetings as requested
* Participate in the appreciative inquiry process & adhere to the Gossip Free Zone

**Job Specifications:**

Physical Requirements: Ability to lift children up to age 4, climb stairs, and perform necessary shift duties

Educational Requirements: Associate Degree or related work/volunteer experience

Other:

* Driver’s license and suitable transportation; working phone
* Commitment to MCCA’s vision, mission, culture, guiding principles, goals, and objectives.

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