Safe Haven of Greater Waterbury, Inc. Personnel Committee



Job Description:

Title: Crisis Response Advocate/Campus Advocate

Supervisor: SACS Program Director

Job Analysis:

Provide crisis intervention, case management, advocacy and follow-up services to victims of sexual assault and stalking; provide comprehensive services in partnership with police (campus and local), district attorney and other campus based and/or community-based agencies serving students. Stationed at select campuses based in Safe Haven's catchment area.

Campus Advocate Duties:

- 1. Provide on-site crisis intervention response to victims of rape/sexual assault and/or stalking on campus
- 2. Provide criminal justice and/or campus-based judiciary advocacy as well as personal advocacy
- 3. Provide mandatory 24 hour on-call direct service (hospital and hotline) and/or consultation to volunteer advocates per policy
- 4. Provide follow up and case management services to assist with: reduction in victimization, increased level of functioning, improved capacity for independence, reduction in level of isolation
- 5. Perform follow-up visits and outreach to clients
- 6. Assist in assessing needs for and designing/implementing support groups
- 7. Assist in obtaining Office of Victim Services compensation
- 8. Assist in registering for CTSAVIN
- 9. Assist in related trainings/community events, speaking engagements as directed by supervisor
- 10. Participate in on campus based safety and/or violence prevention committees
- 11. Prepare timely and accurately statistical reports and data input
- 12. Provide legal and medical advocacy to victims/survivors of sexual assault and their families
- 13. Represent Safe Haven at local, state and national meetings as directed by supervisor
- 14. Maintain a commitment to the mission and work of Safe Haven with a deep appreciation for and sensitivity to the guiding principles of the organization

Overall Duties:

Job Description: SACS Campus Advocate

- 1. Attend staff meetings
- 2. Prepare timely and accurate reports
- 3. Keep accurate records
- 4. Make appropriate intake decisions and informed referrals
- 5. Available to be on-call as needed
- 6. Other duties as requested by Director

Qualifications:

- 1. Certification as a sexual assault counselor (under CGS 52-146k) as amended, regarding Confidential Communications
- 2. Ability to maintain confidentiality at all times
- 3. Demonstrated knowledge of sexual violence and stalking dynamics and effects, public awareness and crisis intervention and counseling services
- 4. Organizational skills
- 5. Professional verbal and written communication skills
- 6. Experience with sexual assault issues and their advocacy
- 7. Driver's license and use of personal car for business purposes
- 8. Degree in social work or human services, public health, social work or related field required or in progress

Signature

Date