

Regional Minority Diabetes Prevention Program Coordinator

MountainWise, NC Public Health Region 1

NC Minority Diabetes Prevention Program (NCMDPP) Grant

Service Area: Cherokee, Clay, Graham, Haywood, Jackson, Swain, Transylvania Counties and the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians (EBCI).

The purpose of the NCMDPP initiative is to create healthier communities by:

1. Engaging at risk populations for participation in Diabetes Prevention Programs (DPP)
2. Screening at risk populations for pre-diabetes
3. Referring to Diabetes Prevention Programs
4. Offering the Diabetes Prevention Program to minority communities in Region 1

The primary purpose of this position is to create a Regional Collaborative which will engage, screen and deliver the NCMDPP that includes the CDC curricula: “Prevent T2” or “Preventa el T2” to minority communities within the region.

Description of work:

- Provide technical assistance related to local NCMDPPs throughout the region
- Ensure that the NCMDPPs achieves quality performance outcomes
- Ensure participant and program data is entered into the NCMDPP database on a weekly basis and submit monthly reports to the NC Office of Minority Health and Health Disparities (NC OMHHD) Program Contact
- Participate in all mandatory NC OMHHD coach calls
- Conduct a targeted marketing and awareness campaign
- Coordinate screenings for prediabetes
- Refer at risk people to local DPP classes
- Organize and co-host community forums to raise awareness of prediabetes
- Provide DPP classes with items and services to address participant barriers to participating in the DPP classes; including transportation, childcare, supplies, etc.
- Administer an incentive program for participants
- Complete required evaluation and program activities

Background and Education:

- Master’s degree in public health or health and/or human services field and one year experience in health education/health promotion or a bachelor’s degree and two years’ experience in a community, business, or governmental program, preferably in the fields of health education/health promotion; or an equivalent combination of training and experience

Compensation and Benefits

- Competitive pay

- Flexible work hours to support work/life balance
- Holiday and Paid Time Off (PTO)
- Health Insurance – f/t employees (working 30+ hrs/week)
- Flexible Spending Plan or Health Savings Account (HSA)
- Opportunity to participate in 401k (after 1 year of employment)

Application Process

Interested applicants should complete an online application by visiting the Alliance Staffing website: <http://www.ncapha.org/>