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Current Job Openings:

Bilingual Life Skills & Nutrition Coach:

This is a part-time position (16 hrs/wk). Position schedule: Sunday & Monday 10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. This position ensures the day to day operation of our emergency shelter kitchen, utilizing the community contributions program with participants. Employee will use holistic model to support participants in healthy meal

Our Latest Success Story



Annie was able to save a couple of dollars every trip to the grocery store without her abuser knowing. Due to financial abuse, she was not allowed to utilize her Social Security money.

Other than the money she hid from her grocery trips, she had no savings.

Annie's relationship was physically, emotionally and financially abusive. She had been meeting in secret with a domestic violence advocate for nine months. Together they created a safety plan and, finally, one day she fled in the middle of the night... [click here](#) to read more.

October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month



In observance of Domestic Violence Awareness Month in October, Emerge! will be participating in the following activities/events:

preparation, maintaining a clean and healthy cooking environment, and gardening skills, while being mindful of possible triggers related to domestic abuse. Bilingual (English/Spanish) required. High School Diploma or equivalent and 2 years of relevant experience.

Bilingual Center Assistants:
We currently have on-call positions available. Our on-call staff provide coverage on an as-needed basis with no set schedule or guaranteed hours. Please note that our shelter is open 24/7. Center Assistants work at our residential center to ensure efficient daily operations of the residential center while ensuring safety and support for participants. Bilingual (English/Spanish) required. Associate's degree and one year of experience in customer service. Social service experience is a plus.

Bilingual Therapist:
Full-time position provides behavioral health assessment, diagnosis, and treatment to individuals requesting services for domestic abuse. Position schedule: Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Flexibility to work one evening per week, as needed. Master's Degree in Social Work, Counseling, Marriage and Family Therapy, or a related field. Licensed by the Arizona Board of Behavioral Health Examiners as a Social Worker, Professional Counselor, or Marriage and Family Therapist preferred or eligible for licensure. Minimum of five (5) years post-master's



Paint Pima Purple- in October, as part of Domestic Violence Awareness Month, Pima County Attorney's Office

and Emerge! are partnering in Paint Pima Purple, a month-long campaign to raise awareness about domestic abuse and to enlist the community's help in putting an end to domestic abuse. For more information about Paint Pima Purple and how you can participate, please [click here](#).

Sept 23-Nov 3: Our local Beauty Brands is sponsoring the "Stand Up. Stand Out. End Abuse" campaign and will donate 100% of the proceeds of three products to Emerge!. [Click here](#) for full details.

October 3: IBM Agency Fair 11a-1p at UA Tech (not a public event)

October 8: NAWBO Tucson Luncheon 10:30a-11:45a at the Doubletree Reid Park (not a public event)

October 12: 94.9 Mix FM Spa and Wellness Showcase 10a-3p at La Encantada Mall

October 18: **Wear Purple Day**- you can wear purple clothing and/or a purple ribbon.

October 18: Stuff the Bus Event 6a-6p at Sam Levitz Furniture.

For full details for each event please [click here](#).

*check back for new activities/events added throughout the month

Your Gift x Two! 2013 Stuff the Bus

Help us stuff the bus. All gifts of cash will be matched!

Our 2013 Stuff the Bus sponsor, the Arizona Lottery, will match all monetary donations up to \$10,000. This means that every dollar you give will double!

experience performing clinical work preferred. Experience with families preferred. Bilingual (English/Spanish) required

If you are interested in applying, please [click here](#).

When: October 18, 2013
Location: Sam Levitz Furniture
100 North Pantano Rd
Time: 6am-6pm

Items Needed by Our Participants:

Diapers ? Used Cellphones ? Grocery Store Gift Cards ? New Towels ? New Blankets



Sorry, we CANNOT accept used clothing, towels or bedding.

Supported by: Arizona Lottery, Sun Tran, Sam Levitz Furniture, Journal Broadcast Group, KGUN 9, and The CW58

Volunteer Needs

Hotline Worker: Answer crisis calls and assess safety of callers, assist in clarifying needs, issues and concerns, provide information and referrals for local resources, as well as screen for entry into our programs. Flexible shifts available between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Bilingual volunteers needed. Direct service volunteers must complete a background check, obtain a fingerprint clearance card, and complete direct service training.

Children's Program Bilingual Volunteer: Offer your bilingual skills to help our Child and Family Case Coordinator with building healthy relationships, creating and executing lesson plans or projects. Volunteers needed on Monday and Tuesday evenings 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Direct service volunteers must complete a background check, obtain a fingerprint clearance card, and complete direct service training.

Voices Against Violence Center Assistant: Friendly volunteer needed to greet participants while monitoring the entrance to one of our community based centers. Assist in answering incoming calls, setting appointments for intake sessions with staff, and other light admin duties. Flexible shifts available during office hours Mon-Fri 8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Direct service volunteers must complete a background check, obtain a fingerprint clearance card, and complete direct service training.

Program Support Volunteer: We are in search of a volunteer to offer support with our weekly errands. Tasks may include pick up and delivery of food, diapers, and other supplies to various sites. Schedule is flexible, with various shifts available during business hours as well as weekends. Direct service volunteers must complete a background check, obtain a fingerprint clearance card, and complete direct service training.

Program Data Entry Support: Assist our direct service team with capturing the extent of services provided. Volunteers will work side by side with our clinician to enter important confidential information into our database system. Flexible shifts available during business hours Mon-Fri 8:30 a.m. -5:00 p.m. Direct service volunteers must complete a background check, obtain a fingerprint clearance card, and complete direct service training.

For more information and/or if you are interested in volunteering, please email theresam@emergecenter.org

Special Thank You's

Judy Rich: Her donation is providing families a safe place where they can rebuild their lives. Thank you!

Pima County Attorney's Office: Their support allows us to continue to raise awareness about domestic abuse. Thank you!

Stand Up to Stop Violence Comedy Show: We would like to give special thanks to all of the comedians that donated their time and Susan Agrillo for putting together such an amazing event. Thank you!

*these gifts were made between: 8/28-9/30

Everyone Knows Someone Who Has Experienced Abuse

Learn to spot the signs. Does your friend, family member, loved one, co-worker, or associate have?

- Unexplained bruising;
- A romantic partner who accompanies them everywhere, even when it's not appropriate;
- Discomfort sitting still or moving certain ways;
- Frequent inability to keep appointments, do they miss classes, work, or other

planned outings;

- Unexplained bald spots or hair frailty/brittleness;
- Frequent illness, or other stress-related issues;
- Is he or she isolated from family and friends;
- Does he or she show strong emotions;
- Does he or she often wear clothing inappropriate for season (to cover marks or bruises).

Need Support? Call the Emerge! Hotline. It's open 24 hours a day, seven days a week and is available in both English and Spanish. If you need help, or need to know how to help a friend/family member, the hotline is here for you. Local: 795-4266 Toll-free: 888-428-0101. Learn more at www.emergecenter.org.

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