

Employment Opportunities

EO-232

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“Employment Opportunities” (EO) is a job clearinghouse for non-profit organizations. A one-time listing in Positions Available for LeadingAge Wisconsin members/subscribers is \$50 for a direct reply and \$75 for a blind ad. The fee for non-members for a onetime listing in Positions Available is \$100 for a direct reply and \$125 for a blind ad.

A one-time listing in Position Wanted is \$50 for a direct reply ad and \$75 for a blind ad. Additionally, blind ads for Position Wanted must be submitted with 10 copies of the applicant’s resume. Submit copy, not to exceed 150 words in length, with the appropriate remittance to the LeadingAge Wisconsin office.

Employment Opportunities are typically included in our bi-weekly *e-News* newsletter. However, due to all the rapid changes with COVID-19, LeadingAge Wisconsin staff has temporarily discontinued sending issues of *e-News*, but instead are sending COVID-19 Updates on a daily basis. Ads submitted also are displayed on the LeadingAge Wisconsin website which can be found at:

www.leadingagewi.org/services-education/employment-opportunities.

EO-794 Social Worker – Chippewa Falls, WI

This position is responsible for providing pre-admission, admission and counseling services to members. This position aids members and their families with personal and environmental difficulties, which may predispose illness or interfere with obtaining maximum benefits from skilled care.

Employment at the Veteran's Home in Chippewa Falls is handled by Dimensions Management of Chippewa Falls.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Interviews members and/or family prior to admission, ensuring that all appropriate admission forms are completed.
- Assists family to understand and explain the statement of Member's Rights.
- Tours facility with member and/or family, providing information on admission policies, procedures, and other information of concern to families and at family request.
- Serves as back up to the Admissions Director.

- Meets emotional needs of member and/or family by assisting with acceptance of losses, changes in family relationships and financial status.
- Meets with members individually and/or in a group setting as appropriate.
- Ensures that Social Service intervention is recorded on required documents and that appropriate action is taken.
- Performs clinical evaluations on assigned members.
- Reviews member's chart and contacts family to gather background material in order to develop a social history on new admissions.
- Serves as liaison between members, families, the Veterans Home and the community.
- Assists with discharging planning for members who are transferring or returning to the community.
- Attends initial staffing and care plan conferences, assisting in the development of goals for members.
- Participates in staff training programs.
- Maintains records of all Social Worker contacts with family, friends, or community agencies on behalf of members.
- Participates in Social Service policy development, orientation, and in-service training of personnel.
- Organizes and facilitates family support groups at regular intervals.
- Facilitates psychosocial groups and/or "one on ones" as needed.
- Performs all other duties as assigned.

PHYSICAL AND MENTAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Must be able to move intermittently throughout the work period.
- Must be able to speak the English language in an understandable way.
- Must be able to cope with the mental and emotional stress of the position.
- Must be able to see, hear or use prosthetics that will enable these senses to function adequately to assure that the requirements of this position can be fully met.
- Must function independently, have flexibility, personal integrity and the ability to work effectively with members and personnel.
- Must be in good general health and demonstrate emotional stability.
- Must be able to relate to and work with the ill, disabled, elderly, emotionally upset, and at times hostile people within the facility.
- Must be able to lift a minimum of 50 pounds.

REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, ABILITIES, AND EXPERIENCE:

- Bachelor's Degree in Social Work or a bachelor's degree in a human services field including, but not limited to: sociology, special education, rehabilitation counseling, psychology; and one year of supervised social work experience in a health care setting, working directly with individuals is required.
- Maintains current licensure with WI Board of Social Workers.
- Ability to read, write, understand and speak English
- Possess special interest in, and positive attitude about, working with short and long-term care members.
- Ability to plan and adapt policies and procedures relating to the Social Service Department.
- Self-motivated and well organized.
- Demonstrate integrity, imagination and initiative, showing appropriate manner and conduct.
- Ability to relate well to persons of varying backgrounds abilities and expectations.
- Meet all health requirements imposed by law.

Qualifications/Education

Preferred

- Bachelors or better in Human Services or related field.
- Bachelors or better in Social Work or related field.
- Licenses & Certifications

As a provider of quality senior housing and services, we are proud to align with healthcare's best practices and our peers serving individuals throughout skilled nursing communities. By requiring* our team members be vaccinated against COVID-19, we are not only helping to end today's pandemic, but we're protecting those most vulnerable to devastating outcomes of this virus— older adults, the immunocompromised, and unvaccinated children.

**Declinations are reviewed and considered for those exempt due to religious beliefs, medical reasons, or relevant state laws and regulations. Please contact human resources for more information.*

Interested in this position, click the link to apply:

<https://recruiting2.ultipro.com/HEA1026HDCI/JobBoard/011168e1-f3a0-4009-aaa9-4019fe95210a/?q=&o=postedDateDesc>