AmeriCorps VISTA

Mercy Center for Women / Lake Effect Leaders Erie, PA 16504

\$12,000 - \$13,000 a year - Full-time

Full Job Description

The Mercy Center for Women project goal is to provide individualized support services in a safe, healthy environment enabling graduates to move into safe and affordable housing, giving them the skill sets so they do not relapse into homelessness. With MCW, individuals receive the educational, financial, and emotional support they need to help break the cycle of poverty. The Mentor Corps VISTA project will build capacity for Mercy Center for Women by developing community resources and other support required to sustain and expand the past success of MCW's housing program.

Member Duties: To help ensure that individuals and families will not relapse into homelessness but will receive the educational, financial, and emotional support they need to help them break the cycle of poverty, the Mentor Corps VISTA project will build capacity for Mercy Center for Women by developing a sustainable 'Tool-Box' of resources, with guidelines and resources to manage the system and assure its success, for MCW's housing program. VISTA activities will include outreach to community organizations, researching best practices to ensure the effectiveness of the program, expanding networks and procuring financial resources.

Program Benefits: Cohort Model , Choice of Education Award or End of Service Stipend , Health Coverage* , Relocation Allowance , Living Allowance , Childcare assistance if eligible , Training .

• For details about AmeriCorps VISTA healthcare benefits, please visit http://www.vistacampus.gov/healthcare

Terms

Permits attendance at school during off hours , Car recommended , Permits working at another job during off hours .

Service Areas Housing, Community Outreach, Community and Economic Development

Skills

Communications , Computers/Technology , General Skills , Community Organization , Non-Profit Management , Business/Entrepreneur , Recruitment , Fund raising/Grant Writing .

Job Type: Full-time

Pay: \$12,000.00 - \$13,000.00 per year

Schedule:

- 8 hour shift
- Monday to Friday

Ability to commute/relocate:

• Erie, PA 16504: Reliably commute or planning to relocate before starting work (Required)

License/Certification:

• Driver's License (Preferred)

Work Location: One location

If you require alternative methods of application or screening, you must approach the employer directly to request this.

To apply, visit Indeed.com or click <u>here</u>.