

Social Work Volunteer

Job Type: Volunteer Position
Time commitment is variable

Reports to: Center Global Chair or designee by the Chair

Position Description: [Center Global](#), a program of the [DC Center for the LGBT Community](#), seeks a Social Work volunteer to conduct psychosocial assessments, referrals and access to internal and community resources to Center Global program participants (specifically LGBT asylum seekers/asylees) who are experiencing personal difficulties. These will be individual interviews scheduled with the assistance of the Center Global leadership team.

Duties: Roles and Responsibilities

- Conduct psychosocial needs and risk assessments (i.e. housing, financial, health, mental health, etc.) for clients in need of services.
- Provide recommendations to the Center Global leadership with regard to the financial and social needs of program participants that have been assessed.
- Maintain client confidentiality at all times, including written and verbal communications, documentation, etc.
- Provide feedback, suggestions and recommendations to the Executive Director and program team leadership.

Qualifications and Requirements

- A licensed MSW with previous experience in working with vulnerable populations, specifically LGBT individuals, is preferred for this position.
- Experience with international issues, or a strong desire to work in this area.
- Outgoing personality and the ability to work independently as well as in a team environment.
- Ideal candidate will have demonstrated cultural competency working with LGBT people and individuals living with HIV/AIDS from around the world.
- Adhere to the NASW *Code of Ethics*.

Key skills for an ideal social worker

- Commitment
- Patience
- Flexibility
- Availability
- Able to cope with traumatic situations

Application: Send resume and cover letter to mcorso77@gmail.com