



Winnifred Stewart Association

Empowering People. Inspiring Dreams.

Recreation Therapist - Day Services

Winnifred Stewart Association has been enhancing the quality of life for individuals with developmental disabilities since 1953. We are currently looking for a Recreation Therapist to join us for a one year term to work with our individuals, and our staff, to increase the individuals' motivation and ability to participate in recreation and leisure activities.

The Recreation Therapist will:

- Assess individual's skills, needs, interests and values related to recreation and leisure activities
- Develop and deliver plans and programs and evaluate their success.
- Remove barriers that prevent any individual from participating in meaningful recreation and leisure activities
- Educate individuals accessing Day Services, and mentor colleagues about the physical, mental, social and emotional health benefits of participating in recreation and leisure activities.
- Assist individuals to practice skills and improve their ability to participate in leisure and community activities as independently as possible
- Encourage, support and mentor colleagues for both personal and team growth.

Our ideal candidate will have a Degree or Diploma in Recreation (specialty in therapeutic recreation preferred), preferably one to two years of experience and a valid Drivers License, and will be a compassionate, creative individual with great organizational, communication and interpersonal skills.

If you are interested in this position, please send your resume by email to: Sandra Loutan at sloutan@winnifredstewart.com

Salary Range: \$2 921.00 per month to \$3 739.00 per month

This competition will remain open until March 19th, 2010, or until a suitable candidate is found.