Domestic Abuse & Sexual Assault Crisis Center (DASACC) Job Description

TITLE: Confidential Sexual Violence Advocate

REPORTING FUNCTION: Sr. Manager of Advocacy & Capacity Building

DESCRIPTION: Advocates and coordinates volunteers to respond to those impacted (directly or indirectly) by sexual violence. Is responsible for the recruitment and coordination of the on-call system and covering gaps for response. Provides community outreach to provide awareness and recruitment for the volunteer program.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

Supervisory

1. Supervises agency SART volunteers.

Administration

- 1. Reports on activities/status of the SART program.
- 2. Tracks volunteer activities in agency database system.
- 3. Submits accurate monthly and quarterly reports.
- 4. Recommend updates for job manual.
- 5. Attend all staff meetings, agency trainings, and outreach and awareness events.
- 6. Act consistently with agency's philosophy and expectations.
- 7. Perform all other related duties as required.

Volunteer Programming

- 1. Outreach to community contacts for recruitment of volunteer advocates.
- 2. Outreach to engage volunteer advocates.
- 3. Provide supervision to volunteers who respond at time of crisis (hospital or police department).
- 4. Provides volunteer recruitment presentations to the community.
- 5. Oversees the monthly SART volunteer meeting.
- 6. Interview and screen potential volunteers.

Training

- 1. Identifies, organizes, and delivers quarterly volunteer training.
- 2. Delivery of the agency's 60-hour victim-counselor privilege training.

Community Relations

- 1. Attends NJCASA CSVA meetings.
- 2. Attends the quarterly Warren County SANE/SART meetings at the Warren County Prosecutor's Office.
- 3. Co-coordinates agency outreach and awareness events.
- 4. Attends community meetings as directed by your supervisor.

Other

- 1. Alternate on-call for SART weekly from 6am Monday to 6pm Friday.
- 2. Coordinate DASACC staff on rotation for SART staff on-call for weekend coverage.
- 3. When necessary, respond to SART activations during office hours.
- 4. Complete sixty-hour victim counselor privilege training within first six months of employment.

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MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- 1. Bachelor's degree in sociology, women's studies social work, or related field.
- 2. At least one year experience in public speaking and delivering a curriculum for training.
- 3. Computer literacy and comfort with database entry and reports.
- 4. Adaptable to a changing environment, collaborative, and reliable.
- 5. Valid NJ driver's license.

