



YOUTH PEER SUPPORT SPECIALIST

SUMMARY:

The Youth Peer Specialist will act as a support and resource for youth with serious emotional disturbances who are receiving services in the behavioral health system. The Youth Peer Support Specialist act as a key member of the treatment team by working with youth one on one or in a group, supporting them in achieving goals through shared activities and interventions. Youth Peer Support Specialist will support youth empowerment by assisting youth in developing skills to improve their overall functioning and quality of life and working collaboratively with others involved in delivering the youth's care.

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Young adult, ages 18 through 28.
2. Willing and able to self-identify as a person who has or is receiving mental health services as a youth and has lived experience, and is prepared to use that experience in helping others.
3. Experience receiving services as a youth in complex, child serving systems (behavioral health, child welfare, juvenile justice, special education, etc.) preferred.
4. High School Diploma/ GED
5. Eligible and understands that they must be trained in MDHHS approved curriculum and ongoing training model.
6. Strong communication, time management and organizational skills.
7. Possess basic computer proficiency skills.
8. Appointment is subject to driver's license and criminal background check. Must possess a valid driver's license, and provide own transportation

SALARY:

Non-Exempt | Union | \$16.36-\$25.99 Hourly

WORK HOURS:

Contract | Part Time | Variable

PRIMARY LOCATION:

Sault Ste. Marie, MI

HOW TO APPLY:

At hbhcmh.org/jobpostings.html
or **Email:** mmarble@hbhcmh.org
or **Fax:** (906) 635-3760

DEADLINE:

Open Until Filled