



Florence Fuller Child Development Centers – Grant Writer

Title: Grant Writer

Hours: Full Time/ Exempt

Reports to: CEO

Salary Range: \$40-\$50k annually. Great benefits package.

Mission Statement: Making a difference through education for economically challenged children and families to build a positive future in our community.

Vision Statement: Striving for excellence as a progressive Child and Family Center, while being the catalyst for change that positively impacts our community.

Core Values: Compassion, Critical Thinking, Dignity, Excellence, Flexibility, Honesty, Mutual Respect, Promotes Harmony, Takes Initiative, Team Player, Trust.

Description:

This position takes the lead on research, writing, editing, and coordination of grant applications for private foundations as well as government and public RFP's. This position is also responsible for marketing FFCDC and will assist with other projects as needed.

Education/Experience:

Minimum Bachelor's Degree in Business, Marketing or related field. Five years minimum experience in Non-profit fund raising and management. Knowledge of foundations, grant writing, research, community networks and contract management. Must have excellent writing and communication skills as well as attention to detail. Experience in social networking and in photo shop or equivalent promotional software. Knowledge of data management is required as well.

Responsibilities:

- Primary contact for grantors.
- Identify new foundation prospects using web based search engines.
- Work with CEO to determine the strongest, best fit program to support the agency's mission and vision.
- Complete and forward packets for submission, in accordance with each Foundation's guidelines. Coordinate completion and delivery of government and other RFP's.
- Write proposals, LOI's, online applications.
- Maintain foundation files, grants tracking sheet, follow up with signed grant agreements and thank you letters.
- Work with CEO and CFO to obtain required information including budgets.
- Monitor and submit foundation reporting requirements.

- Establish 12 month grant writing calendar.
- Prepare monthly grant reports for the Board of Directors /Executive Committee.
- Create and deliver progress materials for grantors including invitations to tour centers.
- Organize award photos and write & submit press releases to media.
- Maintain grantor database records.
- Attend meetings both internally and throughout the community.
- Attend applicable or requested continuing education opportunities.
- Attend Chamber meetings and other community outreach opportunities as directed.
- Assist with Development and Chief Program Officer as needed.
- Perform required computer skills.

Other Functions:

Note: The duties above are illustrative and not exhaustive. The omission of specific statements of duties does not exclude them from the position if the work is similar, related, or a logical assignment to the position. Depending on assigned area of responsibility, incumbents in the position may perform some or all of the activities described above.

Principal Accountabilities:

1. Must demonstrate sensitivity to our population’s socioeconomic characteristics and needs.
2. Must be a team player and maintain a professional demeanor at all times.
3. Adherence to agency policies and procedures and adherence to all programmatic guidelines.
4. Demonstrate effective staff management and leadership skills.

Acknowledgement:

I have read and understand the requirements of this position as outlined in the above job description. I am aware that this job description is not to be construed as an exhaustive statement of duties and responsibilities as secondary functions may be assigned from time to time. I also understand that my continued employment and performance evaluation will be based on my performance of the functions established herein and compliance with established policies and performance standards. I certify that I am able to perform the essential job functions and meet the requirements of this position.

I have read and agree to this job Description:

Employee Date

Chief Executive Director Date

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In short, Strategic Philanthropy gets hired by companies to give away their money to nonprofits that meet a company's business goals and objectives. As you can imagine, we have many relationships with the nonprofits in our community. We value all of the programs and services they have to offer and work with them to help promote positions that are available within their organization so that they may find the best talent possible.

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