



Town of Portsmouth announces job opportunity for **PREVENTION COALITION COORDINATOR**

To review the complete position profile information and to apply online, please visit: www.portsmouthri.com

POSITION OVERVIEW

The Coalition Coordinator serves as the community's primary resource regarding substance abuse prevention. The Coordinator seeks to build a coalition of people and organizations committed to substance use reduction and to focus efforts to strengthen the community's protective factors and minimize its risk factors. The Portsmouth Coalition is part of the Newport County Prevention Coalition (NCPC).

GENERAL PREFERRED REQUIREMENTS:

- Bachelor's degree in a human services area
- Certified in Prevention or willing to work toward certification (required by the state)
- Working knowledge of and experience implementing programs using multiple methods of substance use and abuse prevention; experience with community coalition building, collaboration, and public awareness activities.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills, group process/facilitation; conflict resolution experience preferred.
- Grant writing experience; experience with state and/or federal grants preferred.
- Must be willing to participate in-on-going training and professional development
- · Community organizing experience

All qualified interested applicants should submit an application directly to the Human Resources Department. Applications are available on line at www.portsmouthri.com or available in person at Town Hall/Human Resources, 2200 East Main Road, Portsmouth, RI 02871.

Deadline for submission is December 13, 2019 at 2:00 p.m. Applications may be submitted in person at Town Hall, or by email **to lpuglia@portsmouthri.com** Attn: Lisa Puglia

In compliance with Federal and State regulations, qualified applicants are considered for all positions without regard to race, color, religion, creed, national origin, age, gender, marital status, sexual orientation, veteran status or any other legally protected status or disabilities that do not interfere with job performance.