

We are looking for a compassionate, creative, local adult to work part time with adults with developmental disabilities for the Bethesda/DC area. The job duties of the Community Builder are to build community among participants, expanding that sense of community within a pod and beyond; and lastly, to assist the participants to develop individual skills in a one-on-one or event setting. This job requires someone who is compassionate about special needs and understands patience.

We are a non-profit, **Integrated Living Opportunities**, www ilonow.org, and you will be joining the initiative to integrate adults with Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities (I/DD) in the community.

The pay will be \$20 per hour for approximately 15 to 20 hours per week, with some flexibility in scheduling the hours in the late afternoon and early evenings Monday through Friday, with some social outings on weekends. The job begins as soon as possible.

Specific requirements are monthly check-ins for ten individuals who live in Bethesda and DC. You will create two activities a week and one gathering per month of both the DC and Bethesda young adults. You will be responsible to create monthly reports for the check-ins. There will be times when you will need to help on community activities. The Community Builder is also required to participate in the weekly staff meetings.

There is also the opportunity for more hours to work with adults with developmental disabilities in Upper Montgomery County area.

Requirements:

Bachelor's Degree in human service related field - PREFERRED Experience working with people with developmental disabilities - REQUIRED Strength-based thinking- able to focus on individual's abilities and assets Good organizational skills Creative, open approach to the job Willingness to work as part of a team Flexible schedule Skilled listener Energetic and positive Valid driver s license, vehicle in working condition, insurance to cover transporting individual CPR and First Aid qualified - REQUIRED Pass a background check Proof of citizenship or right to work

## **Desired Qualifications:**

- 2+ to 5 years of experience
- Some college
- CPR Training, First Aid Training

## To Apply:

Please reply by sending electronically your cover letter, resume, list of three references with contact information, and copies of your CPR and first aid certificates to **info@ilonow. org.** CPR and first aid certificates can be acquired after being hired.