



JOB POSTING
(INTERNAL/EXTERNAL)

POSITION TITLE: Youth Peer Support Specialist

LOCATION: Marquette & Delta County

POSITION STATUS: On-Call

SALARY RANGE: \$11.07 per hour

RESPONSIBILITIES: The primary responsibility of the Youth peer support specialist (YPSS) is to provide support to youth being served at Pathways with a serious emotional disturbance (SED) through shared activities and interventions. The goals of Youth Peer Support include supporting youth empowerment, 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. Youth Peer Support services can be in the form of direct support, information sharing and skill building.

QUALIFICATIONS: Must be an adult between the ages of 18 and 26. Must be willing and able to self-identify as a person who has or is receiving mental health services as a youth, and is prepared to use that life experience in helping others. High school diploma or general education degree (GED) is required. Must also have the ability to read and write in order to comprehend written direction, complete documentation, and follow treatment plans. A valid Michigan driver's license is required, along with the ability to complete MDHHS approved curriculum, CPR, first aid, behavior management/physical intervention techniques.

Experience receiving services as a youth from complex systems that serve children and families preferred.

EFFECTIVE: Immediately

APPLY TO: Send letter of interest to:

Pathways HR Department
200 W. Spring Street
Marquette, MI 49855
E-Mail: tburton@up-pathways.org
FAX: (906) 225-7282

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Until filled

This position will remain open to applicants until the position has been filled.

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