## RIVERSIDE COMMUNITY HEALTH FOUNDATION Position Description

Position Title: Community Settlement Association Substance Abuse Counselor

**Reports To**: CSA DUI Supervising Counselor

FLSA Status: Non-Exempt / Full-Time

**Position Summary:** Under the general supervision of the DUI Supervising Counselor, the Substance Abuse Counselor is responsible for providing counseling and case management services to program participants.

## **Position Responsibilities:**

- 1. Participate as a team member, upholding the mission and operating principles, and the highest standards of conduct and ethical integrity.
- 2. Protect the organization's value by keeping information confidential.
- 3. Responsible for learning and understanding Title IX regulations and ensure all documentation is properly recorded, stored, and/or filed accordingly and in a timely manner.
- 4. Responsible for conducting client intakes and assessments of first, second offenders, and multiple offenders.
- 5. Accurately report all attendance of client sessions, face-to-face sessions, group sessions, educational sessions, and meetings as required.
- 6. Assist clients in finding resources that will support their participation in the program.
- 7. Attend and actively participate in weekly meetings with DUI Supervising Counselor and team members for department and staff updates, and ongoing program training and improvement.
- 8. Must work effectively and with co-workers and members of the general public.
- 9. Perform other duties as assigned by DUI Supervising Counselor.

## **Minimum Qualifications:**

**Education**:

Must possess an Alcohol and Other Drug Counselor Certification from a recognized professional accrediting institution (CADTP or CTAP), and professional registration or be a Registered Recovery Worker (RRW) working towards certification.

<u>Experience</u>: Minimum of one years' experience in general counseling and case management preferred. Must demonstrate high ethical standards for program compliance.

## Knowledge & Skills:

- Able to effectively interact with a diverse community population
- Possession of high degree of organizational skills
- Possession of good verbal and written communication skills
- Able to work independently with minimal supervision; self-motivated
- Able to maintain poise and exercise diplomacy in dealing with the public, partners, visitors and fellow workers
- Basic word processing/computer skills (i.e. Microsoft Office Suite)
- Able to set goals and to work toward meeting those goals in an organized manner
- Able to organize work and work on multiple projects at once
- Possession of problem solving, decision making and critical thinking skills
- Ability to maintain the highest level of confidentiality in all work assigned
- Ability to present a professional appearance both in dress and demeanor
- Familiar with human behavior concepts.

President/CEO	Date
affirm that I have read the above a description.	and will exercise my duties as indicated in this job
Substance Abuse Counselor	Date