

### POSITION DESCRIPTION

**TITLE:** Project Manager: Grants

**FTE:** 1.0 FTE

**EDUCATION:** Degree in public health, education, nutrition, kinesiology, or

community development.

**PAY RATE:** \$55,000 to \$65,000 and commensurate with education and

experience.

**DESCRIPTION:** Support organizations delivering locally-relevant, community-based

programming. Develop and implement projects that advance food systems, nutrition, physical activity, and community change models

and programming. Manage a multi-project portfolio.

#### **ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:**

- Build and enhance relationships with partner organizations to support their local delivery of evidence- based programming that meets community needs and context.
- Use coaching approaches to provide high-quality customized customer service; articulate, simplify, and communicate complex information to audiences with differing levels of expertise.
- Provide project management using strategic and innovative approaches to operationalize multiple projects simultaneously, including content-based projects and a local partner portfolio.
- Independently and as part of a team, conduct and participate in compliance oversight, programming and training evaluation, and communication of outcomes.
- Engage in needs assessments, development, implementation, and evaluation of projects related to public health topics for varying audiences.
- Support planning, content development, and implementation of interactive trainings for internal projects, external customers, and subcontractors.
- Assist with resource updates and refining internal processes.
- Participate in reporting, publication development, proposal writing, and technical assistance, as assigned.
- Travel independently in-state and out-of-state, on weekdays and weekends.



# JOB REQUIREMENTS AND QUALIFICATIONS:

- Exhibit professional and collaborative leadership and communication skills with internal and external partners.
- Subject matter expertise in nutrition, food systems, physical activity, and/or community engagement; experience applying health equity approaches to public health programming.
- Project management skills related to development, compliance monitoring, and evaluation of projects.
- Skilled in taking the initiative, assessing requirements, identifying plans, and leading plan implementation from start to finish.
- Advanced degree preferred. Three or more years of experience in project management with increasinglevel of responsibilities in the public health realm.
- Understand basic principles of evaluation, data collection, and reporting.
- High level of energy, ability to multi-task, and capable of working in a fast-paced, often-changingenvironment, often under tight deadlines.
- Ability to work with teams in a matrix-based organization.

## **OTHER INFORMATION:**

- Must be able to:
  - o Frequently remain in a stationary position as well as move about in the course of general duties.
  - Operate a computer and other standard office machines, and constantly communicate withtrainees, internal staff, external partners and customers.
- Must have a valid driver's license and proof of current, valid auto insurance coverage.

## **APPLICATION DEADLINE:**

August 14, 2021, or until a suitable candidate is identified. Please send a cover letter, resume, and writing sample by email to Pam Bartig: <a href="mailto:pbartig@michiganfitness.org">pbartig@michiganfitness.org</a>. Use subject line: MFF Project Manager Position: Grants

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