



Esperança, Inc.  
**Community Health Educator**

Full Time

**Reports To:** Lead Community Health Educator

**Time Commitment:** Full time 37.5 hours a week including occasional evenings and weekends

**Summary:** This position is responsible for working with the Lead Community Health Educator in the delivery of preventative health education including oral health and disease management to Latino communities.

### **Primary Roles & Responsibilities**

- Performs all functions and activities within the guidelines and philosophy set forth in Esperança's Strategic plan, policies, mission, goals, and vision
- Plan, prepare and deliver preventative health and disease management education classes by following established procedures
- Participates in and identifies continuous quality improvement activities
- Participates in the administration of pre/post program surveys
- Collects stories from participants in the community on the effectiveness of the preventative health education workshops and their personal experience
- Actively participates in professional development
- Assist with the planning of group sessions and discussions on assigned health topics
- Providing oral health education to children, adults, and seniors
- Work closely with community partners such as school districts, community health centers, and dental clinics to execute oral health education
- Collaborating with fellow public health organizations focused on oral health initiatives
- Work collaboratively with Esperança team members
- Continuously expand knowledge and understanding of community resources, services, and programs available
- Other duties as assigned by Lead Community Health Educator and Domestic Program Director

**Qualifications:**

- MUST be fluent in English and Spanish
- Culturally competent and sensitive
- Experience working with different age groups
- Aware of low-income communities within the greater Phoenix area
- High School Diploma, Community Health Educator Certificate or equivalent
- 2 years related experience in preventative health programming and/or education
- Detail-oriented
- Excellent written and oral communication skills
- Strong management skills with the ability to effectively multitask and prioritize deadlines
- Ability to work independently, be flexible and dependently take initiative while also being solution oriented
- Ability to adapt to diverse environments, programming, people, and situations
- Must be able to walk, stoop, kneel, reach, crouch and lift a minimum of 30 pounds with or without accommodations
- Reliable transportation with valid driver's license
- Fingerprint Clearance Card
- Food handler's card (willing to obtain one within the first month of hire)
- CPR and First Aid Certification (willing to obtain one within the first month of hire)
- Proof of completed Covid-19 vaccination

Send cover letter and resume to Julieta Larios, Domestic Program Coordinator to [julieta@esperanca.org](mailto:julieta@esperanca.org) by **June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021**