## Dear Families and Community Partners, please share -

Join G.E.A.R. Parent Network and become a member of a statewide team! We have a full time job opening for a parent who has raised or is raising a child/youth with emotional/behavioral health concerns in the role of "Regional Parent Support Coordinator" in Aroostook, Penobscot, Piscataquis and Washington Counties.

This leadership and parent peer role is to facilitate supportive educational workshops, support groups and organize special events along with creating positive community partnerships; in addition to providing information, resources, advocacy, mentoring and sharing of your own personal lived experiences to support and empower parents who also have children/youth with emotional or behavioral health concerns. Candidate must also live in one of the counties listed above.

EDUCATION and/or EXPERIENCE: High school diploma or GED. 5+ years\* of lived experience parenting a child/youth with emotional/behavioral health concerns and experience navigating systems of care on behalf of that child. \*Note lived experience years is determined from the date your child/youth received their first mental health diagnosis to today's date.

QUALIFICATIONS: A parent/caregiver of a child/youth with emotional/behavioral health concerns; has 5 or more years lived experience\* navigating the child serving systems of care on behalf of that child/youth, ability to communicate well, use computer software/type well, is able to work and accept telephone calls from their home office, able to work some evenings and occasional Saturday, have a valid driver's license and reliable transportation.

A flexible schedule and extensive paid training, mileage, computer and other benefits are provided.

Apply here: <a href="https://crisisandcounselingcareers.org/career-search/?">https://crisisandcounselingcareers.org/career-search/?</a> wpv-job-field=g-e-a-r-parent-network& wpv aux current post id=15&wpv aux parent post id=15&wpv sort\_orderby=field-wpcf-closing-date&wpv\_sort\_order= asc&wpv\_sort\_orderby\_as=numeric&wpv\_view\_count=117

If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to me!

Warmly, Cindy



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