

United Services, Inc.

United Services is the most comprehensive private, non-profit center in Connecticut providing psychosocial, behavioral health, chemical abuse, primary care, care coordination, wellness and prevention services to the community, and employee assistance program services for business and industry. Our primary service area is the 21 towns in northeastern Connecticut. Client services are available in 12 locations, including three main offices located in Dayville, Wauregan and Windham.

Our mission is to provide an effective response to the youth, family and adult social and behavioral health needs in our community. Our vision is "creating healthy communities."

United Services employs a staff of more than 250 professionals and paraprofessionals. Our staff includes psychiatrists, clinicians, social workers, psychologists, prevention specialists, case managers, advocates, and administrative and support personnel. As an agency, we believe in what we do, and we do it well.

Job Title

Peer Recovery Specialist

Location

Willimantic, CT

Description

United Services is looking for a dynamic Peer Recovery Specialist to join our Community Support Services team in Willimantic, CT. Bring the peer perspective and your recovery experience to support and inspire others to achieve person-driven and self-defined achievable goals. You will have a unique opportunity to forge a positive connection with adults with mental health disorders and through this connection to engender hope that the person served can have what everyone wants: safe and decent housing, access to quality mental health and medical care, meaningful personal relationships, productive activities including work, and a connection to the community in which they live.

Schedule

This is a full time 40 hour position, Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. including one evening per week until 7:00 p.m.

Minimum Requirements: *This position requires certification as a Recovery Specialist through Advocacy Unlimited or the ability to become certified and involves extensive work in the community.* Associate's Degree or High School Diploma/equivalent plus two years relevant experience. Reliable transportation and ability to transport clients in own car is a must. Mileage reimbursement is provided.

Salary Range:

\$12.60 - \$14.26 per hour depending on experience

Benefits

- 4 weeks of vacation
- 12 holidays • Paid sick time
- Very generous comprehensive benefit package for health, dental, life and disability insurance - **100% employer paid** for individual and family coverage
- Training and tuition reimbursement & eligibility for National Health Service Corps [loan repayment](#) and [scholarships](#)
- Pre-tax medical and dependent care plans
- 403B Thrift Plan with an employer contribution after one year

Our vision of 'Creating Healthy Communities' is one that all staff share -- creating healthy communities within the agency, and in our community.

If you have the credentials, the commitment and the passion, we have the opportunity. Please consider a career with United Services. For more information regarding our current openings visit the employment opportunity section of our website at <http://www.unitedservicesct.org/>

Here is our link to Facebook to learn more about our agency:

- <https://www.facebook.com/unitedservicesct>

Please forward your resume to United Services, Inc., 1007 North Main Street, Dayville, CT 06241 or email to Jobopenings@usmhs.org or fax to (860) 774-0095

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