



Ostara Initiative (OI) is seeking a new Parenting Peer Educator to work with incarcerated fathers in Ramsey County with the Minnesota Prison Doula Project (MnPDP).

The Ostara Initiative is a national non-profit with programs in Minnesota and Alabama that exists to collectively transform systems by reimagining justice, advancing health, and reclaiming dignity in our policies and practices for all pregnant and parenting people.

We create and uphold a diverse, all-involved, equitable workplace where employees, volunteers, and participants regardless of gender, race, ethnicity, national origin, status, geography, age, sexual orientation, education, and ability, feel valued and respected, including those directly impacted by incarceration and their loved ones.

We are committed to a nondiscriminatory approach and provide equal opportunity for employment and advancement in all programs. We respect, honor, and value diverse life experiences and heritages and aim for inclusivity of all voices.

Title:

Parenting Peer Educator for Incarcerated Fathers

Location:

Ramsey County Correctional Facility (RCCF)- 297 Century Ave S, St Paul, MN 55119

Description:

MnPDP has provided individual and group based support and education to the female unit at RCCF for over 5 years and are now expanding services to the men's unit this summer. We are looking for an experienced group facilitator to co teach with one of our contractors on a weekly basis. Parenting Inside Out (PIO) curriculum will be used.

Requirements:

Previously incarcerated father with group facilitation experience who has successfully re entered family and community

Knowledge of child development, social services, and community resources

Ability to work independently

Excellent listening and public speaking skills

Good problem solving skills

Cannot be currently on probation

Reliable and Responsible

Hours and compensation:

Group is held weekly on Friday mornings 9:30-11am, must arrive at RCCF at 9am.

Pay is \$22/hour, 8 hours per week

Provide weekly peer counseling to fathers in addition to group, four hours per week plus one hour for note taking

You will be an independent contractor with Ostara Initiative, OI is a contractor of Ramsey County

You will be responsible for submitting monthly invoices to OI for your work and you're paid on the 15th of each month

You will receive an annual 1099 form for the income you receive

Paid training is provided, with OI and online training for PIO

Start date this summer

Process:

Submit cover letter and resume to: info@mnprisondoulaproject.org