

Job Title: Victim Advocate (Full-time and Part-time)

Organization: Family Safety Network

Location: 120 N. 1st E, Driggs, Idaho

Position Type: Full-time (32 hours/week) and Part-time (16 hours/week)

Pay Range: Starting at \$21/hour DOE, paid time off and benefits

Application Deadline: Friday, July 28th

Email Application to: ebilcher@familysafetynetwork.org



Are you passionate about making a positive impact in your community? Do you have a strong desire to support and advocate for victims of domestic and sexual violence and abuse? If so, we have an exciting opportunity for you!

Family Safety Network is seeking highly motivated and compassionate individuals to join our team as Victim Advocates. **We are currently hiring for both full-time and part-time positions, with at least one position requiring bilingual proficiency in English and Spanish.** As a Victim Advocate, you will play a crucial role in providing support, resources, and advocacy to survivors of domestic and sexual violence and their families.

Responsibilities:

- Provide direct assistance to survivors, including safety planning, crisis intervention, and emotional support.
- Conduct needs assessments and connect survivors with appropriate resources and services, such as shelter, legal aid, counseling, and medical assistance.
- Accompany survivors to court hearings, medical appointments, and other related appointments as needed.
- Assist survivors in navigating the criminal justice system and provide information on their rights.
- Collaborate with community partners to enhance services and referrals.
- Maintain accurate and confidential client records.
- Serve on 24/7 hotline approximately one week/month.
- Participate in training and professional development opportunities to enhance knowledge and skills.

Requirements:

- Compassionate and empathetic approach towards survivors of domestic and sexual violence.
- Strong interpersonal and communication skills, with the ability to empathize and establish rapport with survivors.
- Ability to work effectively both independently and as part of a team.
- Excellent organizational and time management abilities.
- Knowledge of community resources and support services.
- Bilingual proficiency in English and Spanish (required for at least one position).
- Previous experience in advocacy or social services is preferred, but not mandatory.
- Demonstrated commitment to non-violence and social justice through previous volunteer work or employment.
- Cultural competency while working with marginalized populations.

To apply, please submit the following documents to ebilcher@familysafetynetwork.org by Friday, July 28th:

- Cover letter highlighting your interest in the position and relevant experience
- Comprehensive resume detailing your qualifications
- Three professional references (including contact information)

Please indicate in the subject line whether you are applying for the Full-time or Part-time position and mention if you are bilingual in English and Spanish. Applications will be accepted until Friday, July 28th. We appreciate all applications, but only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

Join our dedicated team at Family Safety Network and contribute to creating a safer and more supportive community for survivors of domestic and sexual violence. Together, we can make a difference!