



Position Available:

Classroom Educator - Health and Character Education

New Jersey Physicians Advisory Group, Fanwood, NJ 07023

Project YES You Can! Operating in Union County, NJ

Posted: August 9, 2017 Start Date: October 1, 2017 Salary Range: \$40,000-\$44,000

General Function:

Under the administrative direction of the organization's Project Manager, the school health educator will:

- Teach the *YES You Can!* Curricula, <http://njphysicians.org/what-we-offer/yes-you-can-curricula/> to classroom students in 6th through 12th grades beginning with lessons in character and smart decision making while progressing with older students to sexual risk avoidance and skill building to equip students to practice it.

Specific Responsibilities:

- Provide classroom instruction using the *YES You Can!* Curriculum.
- Provide ongoing feedback on the program and its acceptability to students, their parents, and the host facilities.
- Build relationships with participating schools and their faculty.
- According to the program protocol, administer pre- and post-tests and ensure their careful completion by students.
- Assist in preparing educational materials, and in providing occasional parent seminars during evening hours.
- Assist in planning and providing teacher training conferences.
- Support the overall efforts of the *YES You Can!* Project.

Job Specifications:

- Experience in public speaking and working with teens is a must.
- Preference of two years middle/high school teaching experience with similar educational programs in health, sex education, family life, biology or counseling.
- Strong commitment to the principles of sexual risk avoidance education and enthusiasm for conveying its message.
- Ability to relate to teens on the subject and support them in the choice of avoiding risk.
- Ability to communicate effectively with school/center administration and to work professionally as guest faculty.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills.
- Valid driver's license

Education:

Bachelor's degree in health education, education, nursing, social work, biology, psychology or counseling preferred. Experience working with youth in community youth group settings will be considered.

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