

Community Health Navigator

Health Brigade (HB), formerly Fan Free Clinic is seeking a full time Community Health Navigator to conduct HIV/STI testing and linkage to care for clients living with HIV. Candidates must be willing to be trained or already be trained as an HIV test counselor and to conduct full blood draws. Settings for testing and outreach are varied, including community organizations, bars, college campuses, resource centers, substance use treatment facilities, and health fairs. This position will also be responsible for navigating newly or previously diagnosed HIV/HCV individuals to medical care, as well conduct one on one education/skill strengthening sessions with clients. The successful candidate will have knowledge of and be comfortable working with diverse populations, including but not limited to: communities of color, LGBTQ communities, and low income communities.

Requirements

At least 2 years of college required, Bachelor's degree in health science, health education, or related field preferred. HIV/AIDS knowledge preferred. Candidates must demonstrate oral and written communication skills. Computer skills are required and proficiency in Microsoft Office products preferred.

Employees must be able to work collaboratively with a variety of staff within the organization. HB expects individuals to have a strong work ethic and commitment to our mission and values. Candidates must be able to work in a team environment, as well as work independently. Some evening and weekend work required. Successful candidate must possess skills that support and enable sound decision making, strong personal and professional boundaries, good judgement and discretion. Fluency in Spanish a plus!

Knowledge and Skills

- Knowledge of HIV/AIDS
- Knowledge of populations disproportionately affected by HIV
- Ability to communicate effectively
- Demonstrate strong organizational skills
- Demonstrate effective oral and written communication skills
- Knowledge of community resources
- Experience with event planning
- Ability to effectively use social media
- Ability to organize work, coordinate projects, set priorities, adhere to deadlines and follow-up on assignments with minimal direction
- Must have reliable personal transportation

Compensation

Compensation starts at \$18/hour plus benefits, generous PTO and holiday schedule, flexible work environment
Health Brigade is an Equal Opportunity Employer

To Apply:

1. Email resume and a list of three professional references to: Polly Foster pfoster@healthbrigade.org
2. Complete the application here: <https://hipaa.jotform.com/211964018211144>

Any resume sent without 3 references and the completion of an application will not be considered.

No phone calls please. Application deadline: February 4th at 5pm.

Workplace health and safety are paramount at Health Brigade. We serve many patients and clients with compromised immune systems. Therefore, it is **mandatory for working** at Health Brigade that you provide verification of the following prior to your first day at Health Brigade:

- Verification of last flu vaccine
- Verification of TB screening within the past 12 months
- Verification of COVID vaccine

If you are offered a position as an employee, and you have not met the health requirements, a consult with Health Brigade's Medical Director will be required to develop a plan toward adherence. This may result in delay of your planned start date for service