

**Dusk to Dawn
MEDIA ARTS VOLUNTEER**

Job Description

This is volunteer position with negotiable hours on Monday, Tuesday or Thursday between 2pm and 8pm. Person reports to the Media Arts Facilitator Directions Youth Service Centre who is a media mentorship worker with at-risk, street entrenched and homeless youth in Vancouver.

PURPOSE OF THE POSITION

To provide support to the Media Arts Facilitator and assist in mentorship and guidance in media arts to “street involved” youth from the Downtown South/Granville Street area. Empowering youth through access to media arts.

Duties and Responsibilities

1. Assist in facilitation of media room operations.
2. Assist youth in music and media arts.
3. Maintain media room equipment and inventories.
4. Maintain relevant documentation and time sheets.
5. Adhere to all program and agency policies, procedures and safety standards; including but not limited to confidentiality policy. Also to report concerns to DYCS staff in a timely manner; including legally required, reporting concerns: risk of harm to self or others and child protection concerns
6. Model pro-social behavior for program participants
7. Attend training and media/open house events as requested/appropriate.
8. Maintaining a culture of ‘People helping people help themselves’.

QUALIFICATIONS

Experience:

- Experience working with at-risk, street entrenched and homeless youth an asset.
- Relevant arts and media skills.
- Applicants with personal experience with addiction or street involvement require a minimum of two years clean/sober and away from services.

Knowledge:

- Knowledge of adolescent development; alcohol and drug abuse issues; sexually exploited youth and “street involved” activities.

Skills:

- Relevant arts and media skills.

Volunteer Position, Tuesday or Thursday available. Please contact for more information:

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