

**Peer Support Specialist** Position -Douglass Community Association/Frederick Douglass Recovery Center

The Douglass Peer Support Specialist provides supportive services to community mental health case management clients and operates as a member of the mental health case management team. Personal recovery experience with serious and persistent mental illness is essential. The position requires that the employee works with a wide range of clients and staff, and must be sensitive to cultural and socio-economic factors which clients experience. Contacts with clients will generally take place in the community, and providing transportation is a key element of this position. The employee must possess a valid driver's license and reliable transportation. Ideally the employee will possess the Peer Support Specialist certification offered by the State of Michigan, however, candidates who do not have the certification but wish to pursue it will be considered.

Position will start as a part-time position, approximately 20 hours per week. Hourly wage will be competitive, and will take into account the candidate's experience and training.

Please forward job applicant letter/resume to:

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