



POLICY STRATEGIST

Job Description

Mental Health Colorado is the state's leading advocate for the prevention and treatment of mental health and substance use disorders. We are a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization and an affiliate of Mental Health America.

We seek a Policy Strategist to identify, develop, and promote effective local and state strategies for the prevention and treatment of mental health and substance use disorders. The Policy Strategist will research promising practices, analyze potential obstacles and opportunities, and help local leaders build public support for mental health care. This position will entail travel within the state.

DESIRED QUALIFICATIONS

- Bachelor's or graduate degree
- Experience in public policy, advocacy, or similar field
- Knowledge of health and/or mental health policy
- Familiarity with local government
- Excellent communications skills
- Strong organizational skills and attention to detail
- Creativity and resourcefulness
- A commitment to the cause of mental health

This is a full-time position eligible for benefits. Salary commensurate with experience.

Applicants should email a cover letter and resume by Friday, Feb. 2 to info@mentalhealthcolorado.org; please use the subject line "Policy Strategist." Only electronic submissions will be accepted. We regret that we cannot respond to every applicant; only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

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