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**Lead Community Health Worker Region 9**

**St. Helena, Washington, Tangipahoa, St. Tammany, and Livingston Parishes**.

Southeast Louisiana Area Health & Education Council (SELAHEC) in conjunction with the Louisiana Department of Health Office of Public Health-STD/HIV/Hepatitis Program is seeking a **Lead Community Health Worker (Region 9)** who will supervise a team of Community Health Workers. This individual will supervise, train, offer capacity building assistance and guidance to a Community Health Worker team of four. Must have the ability to work with community members from diverse backgrounds, a strong commitment to the Region 9 community and its members. Act as a strong advocate for local health and social needs for residents and community members; must be able to help community members navigate through daunting healthcare and social systems.

**REQUIRED EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE**:

1. Three or more years of HIV/AIDS experience implementing prevention activities and strategies to vulnerable populations in a community setting.
2. Three or more years of experience conducting community engagement activities.
3. Three or more years of experience conducting “boots on the ground” outreach in vulnerable communities.
4. At least two years of experience working or volunteering with community based programs in region 9.

**PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:**

1. Bachelor’s Degree
2. Louisiana Certified HIV/HCV/Syphilis Counselor & Tester
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