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JOB POSTING: SEASONAL- SENIOR CAMP COUNSELOR- ISLAND WIDE

POSITION DESCRIPTION:

The YMCA of Long Island is seeking Senior Camp Counselors for the 2018 Summer Camp Season who will provide direct supervision of a group of children in a seasonal day camp. Responsibilities include assisting in the direction, planning, teaching, coordinating, and carrying out activities and programs that are culturally relevant and developmentally appropriate while guiding campers in their personal growth and daily living skills. The Senior Camp Counselors will provide a quality experience to children and parents focused on YMCA core values: honesty, respect, responsibility, and caring while maintaining high standards of health and safety in all activities for campers and fellow staff. Responsibilities also include leading or assisting with the teaching of activities while following YMCA policies and procedures, including those related to medical and disciplinary situations, child abuse prevention and emergencies. Candidates must be enthusiastic, responsible, enjoy working with children, and have a passion for the YMCA and its mission.

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. High school graduate or equivalent; one year or more of college preferred.
2. Previous experience working with children preferably in a day camp setting
3. Experience preferred in one or more of the following areas: art, songs/music, skits, sports, aquatics, recreational games, etc...
4. At least 18 years of age.
5. Child Abuse Prevention training within 30 days of hire date.
6. Must submit health history record and examination form prior to first day of work.
7. Ability to interact with all age levels.
8. Strong interpersonal skills with the ability to relate effectively to diverse groups of people from all social and economic segments of the community.
9. Ability to work in a fast paced, highly flexible and rapidly changing work environment.
10. Ability to communicate and work with groups participating (age and skill levels) and provide necessary instruction to campers and staff.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

Ability to plan, lead, and participate in a variety of physical activities. May be required to drive between YMCA facilities and to training or meetings in various locations. Ability to perform all physical aspects of the position; including walking, standing, bending, reaching, and lifting up to 50lbs.

HOW TO APPLY:

For immediate consideration please email a resume if available and/or a cover letter indicating your interest and qualifications to the specific contact below at your desired location:

- **YMCA East Hampton RECenter**- Sondra Vecchio, Sondra.Vecchio@ymcali.org
- **Huntington YMCA**- Brian Filippone, Brian.Filippone@ymcali.org
- **YMCA at Glen Cove**- Kathleen Croskey, Kathleen.Croskey@ymcali.org
- **Patchogue YMCA**- Tina Norbut, Tina.Norbut@ymcali.org and Phil Insalaco, Phil.Insalaco@ymcali.org

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