



Job Announcement Domestic Violence Attorney

GBLA is currently accepting applications for a full-time attorney with 3+ years of knowledge and experience in family law with emphasis in sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking. As the Domestic Violence attorney, you will provide a holistic legal representation to victims of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and /or stalking in matters relating to or arising out of that abuse or violence. Holistic representation goes beyond a victim's need for a protection order and includes representation in other proceedings directly related to the client's experience of violence which is likely to increase victim's safety and security.

The attorney must maintain relationships with other programs and agencies and attend appropriate meetings to further the program and funder expectations. Strong litigation skills in California courts; demonstrated commitment to public interest advocacy; high degree of initiative and willingness to work collaboratively with others; demonstrated ability to supervise and provide leadership; ability to travel throughout the county; and bilingual capacity in Spanish is strongly preferred.

Qualified candidates must have a California Bar membership, three (3) or more years of post-law school legal experience. The attorney must have a commitment to serving low-income population, ability to relate and communicate with a broad range of clients and colleagues. Proficiency in verbal Spanish is preferred by not required, clearly and concisely writing, and proficient with Excel, Word, Outlook, and Westlaw.

Compensation and Benefits:

Exempt position with an annual salary commensurate with qualifications and experience. Generous benefit package, a 37.5-hour workweek, paid sick and vacation leave. 100% employer-paid medical premium for employee (dependent coverage optional though a Sec 125 plan paid by employee) 100% employer-paid premium dental and life insurance for employee and dependents. 100% employer paid long/short term disability for employee. Employee also has the option to participate in a 403(b) retirement plan, employee only contributions.

To Apply

Email a cover letter detailing your interest in the position, current resume, writing sample and 3 professional reference to careers@gbla.org

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