Peer Educators are a critical part of Rutgers Camden’s violence prevention and survivor response services. Peer Educators foster a positive campus environment, coordinate campus events, conduct outreach and awareness raising, and connect students to a range of VPVA services.

Overview

Peer Educators (PE) are a critical part of RUC’s Office of Violence Prevention and Victim Assistance (VPVA). Using a framework based in leadership development and peer education, PEs will engage the campus community in efforts to raise awareness about and prevent interpersonal violence (dating/domestic violence, sexual violence, and stalking).

Peer Educators will be work between 5-10 hours per week September- May. Pay is $11.00 per hour. Schedules will be flexible, however Peer Educators will be expected to participate in select VPVA events throughout the academic year.

Responsibilities:

- Assist in developing and delivering presentations, workshops, and programming.
- Identify trends and patterns in programming evaluation to assist with strategic planning.
- Collaborate with diverse stakeholders for programming and events.
- Create and manage social media content on issues regarding awareness raising, violence prevention, and supporting survivors of sexual violence, domestic violence, and stalking.
- Engage with the RUC community in a way reflective of violence prevention and victim assistance values.
- Represent VPVA outreach and awareness raising events.
- Attend training and scheduled staff meetings

Qualifications

- Demonstrate a commitment to anti-violence, bystander intervention, social justice and equity.
- Proficiency with social media use for activism, awareness raising, education, and community building.
- Quality time and project management skills.
• Excellent communication skills.
• Ability to collaborate with team members of diverse knowledge and experience.
• Growth and learning mindset.
• Leadership and mentoring skills.
• Basic understanding of the dynamics of dating/domestic violence, stalking, and sexual violence.
• Research skills.
• Strong ability to work relatively independently and with a group.
• Service and community-centered mindset.

**To Apply**

To apply for a Peer Educator position complete and submit the application, available [here](#).

Contact VPVA’s Program Coordinator, Olivia Rojas at [devin.rojas@rutgers.edu](mailto:devin.rojas@rutgers.edu), if you have any questions.