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Let's Talk NWA provides a safe, nonjudgmental and confidential platform for addressing domestic violence in the black community through support, understanding and resources.

JOB DESCRIPTION: LET'S TALK NWA VOLUNTEER ALLY

Reports to Let's Talk NWA Advocate and Let's Talk NWA Steering Committee

Volunteer Allies are responsible for supporting the general work and mission of Let's Talk NWA (LTNWA) as assigned by the Let's Talk NWA steering committee. There is no monetary compensation, though there is great reward in knowing that you have supported an entire community in moving toward healing and health.

GENERAL QUALIFICATIONS

- Commitment and belief in the Let's Talk NWA mission
- An overall understanding of systems of oppression and their manifestations in society
- Willingness to educate oneself on the issues surrounding domestic violence in the black community
- Identify as a member of or a non-black ally to the black and/or African-heritage community
- Must be 18 years of age or older or have parental consent to be involved
- Willingness to work primarily in a supportive role in achieving LTNWA project goals as set forth by Steering Committee

SPECIFIC DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Attend an initial LTNWA Volunteer Ally training
- Keep in contact with the Let's Talk NWA advocate with any questions or concerns you may have
- Sign the project's confidentiality agreement and abide by it when referring to recipients of services
- After completion of Volunteer Ally training, Volunteer Ally duties may include:
 - Help set up and clean up at LTNWA community events
 - Help secure donations for LTNWA events and services
 - Spread the word and share information (i.e. rack cards) about LTNWA to groups and individuals in your sphere of influence and keep LTNWA advocate informed regarding these efforts/contacts
 - LTNWA Volunteer Allies do not speak for LTNWA work in an "official" capacity through public speaking, outreach efforts, programming, etc.

GENERAL DUTIES AND INFORMATION

- Promote and support the mission of Let's Talk NWA in the community
- Sign volunteer Agreement, covering all Let's Talk NWA policies and procedures
- Abide by Let's Talk NWA's policies and practices set forth by the Let's Talk NWA steering committee
- Wear appropriate attire to all situations where you represent Let's Talk NWA
- Refrain from discrimination against any possible recipient of services and adhere to the below nondiscrimination policy for NWA Center for Sexual Assault—the LTNWA sponsoring agency

NWA Center for Sexual Assault provides equal access to services and employment for all persons regardless of race, sex, ethnicity, national origin, age, disability, religion, socioeconomic status, immigration status, sexual orientation or gender identity or expression. The Center will not discriminate against any victim/survivor whether or not he/she agrees with the way the State prosecutes his/her criminal case or whether or not he/she chooses to report to law enforcement.

*I understand my duties
As outlined above and am
willing to fulfill them.*

PRINTED NAME

SIGNATURE

DATE

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