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Re: Program Manager – Strategic Community Partnerships

Dear Hiring Manager,

When I recently came across the posting on Glassdoor for the Program Manager of Strategic Community Partnerships position, I was immediately drawn and eager to apply. This position is an exciting opportunity that aligns with my background in both interpersonal and systems-level social work and in the public and nonprofit sectors.

I am currently employed with the Colorado Department of Human Services, Office of Behavioral Health as a Program Assistant. I have gained indispensable experience learning the governmental processes and managing stakeholder relationships in our behavioral health system. My accomplishments have included outreach to community partners to guide expansion of services, facilitation of focus groups for a Human-Centered Design project, daily data reporting and presentation building, collaborating to create new orientation and training programs, and drafting office policies to streamline processes. Prior to my employment with the State, I worked on the Quality Assurance and Impact teams with Tennyson Center for Children, evaluating the effectiveness of programming and determining community needs to drive organizational change. My work as a Change Navigator with Tennyson included interviewing previous clients and influencing change internally based on my evaluation findings.

My master's education and experience in social work has provided me with a deep understanding of the socioeconomical issues that impact our community, and the need for innovative thinkers to drive social change, particularly in mental health. Each of my professional roles have encompassed communication and relationship building across levels, teams, and organizations.

I am now seeking employment that allows me to grow as a professional and take a step further in my career path. Given my background and interests as outlined here and in my resume, I feel that I would thrive in this role on the Strategic Community Partnerships team. I would bring my relationship and project management skills, "can do" work ethic, and big-picture, collaborative thinking as assets to your team.

Thank you for affording me your time and consideration for this position. I look forward to hearing from you soon and moving forward with the recruitment process.

Sincerely,

Paige Morandi