



Lewiston Wellness Shelter Temporary As-Needed Staff -Temp. at \$22.50/hour

All hands-on deck!

All hands-on deck! An emergency 24-hour wellness shelter in Lewiston, ME has been established as a cross collaborative effort between the State of Maine and community providers to support individuals experiencing homelessness during this pandemic and **WE NEED YOU!** You will be building relationships and trust with guests, monitoring and assessing safety, and performing general housekeeping tasks under the direction of the shelter leadership.

The regular pay for this opportunity is \$15/hr., however during this critical time, Preble Street is paying time and a half for all hours worked in shelter, food, and coverage programming. Overnight shifts are awake shifts with an additional \$2 differential.

If you can be part of this community solution and have positive regard for individuals experiencing homelessness, **let's talk!**

As-Needed positions are ideal for those who are flexible, enjoy engaging with people, and prefer fast-paced work. Shifts vary in length and will include evening, weekend, or overnight hours.

As-Needed staff work a maximum of 28 hours per week.

Job Requirements

- 3-5 years of social work experience or relevant experience.
- Knowledge of relevant community resources.
- Qualified candidates for this position will be skilled in crisis intervention, with the ability to establish boundaries and set limits in challenging situations.
- Candidates must also have a thorough understanding of traumatic reactions, mental illness, substance use disorders, and co-occurring disorders.
- Strong communication skills and experience working within a team-centered environment is a must.
- Experience working with immigrants or refugees or similar populations highly preferred.

To Apply

Please submit an application, cover letter, and resume to: **humanresources@preblestreet.org**

Please note: Automatically generated confirmations of receipt will be sent in response to applications sent via email. Only those candidates selected for interviews will be otherwise contacted.

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