



Veterans Housing Services Caseworker (Lewiston)

Veterans Housing Services is currently seeking a full-time Caseworker to provide services and outreach to veterans and their families in the Lewiston-Auburn area who are homeless or at risk of homelessness.

Responsibilities of this position include assisting veterans and veterans' families in obtaining and maintaining stable housing through outreach and short-term, intensive case management. Outreach activities will take place in community shelters, food pantries, service centers, General Assistance Offices, and on the street. Case management activities will include making referrals and collaborating with other service providers; helping to navigate the human services and veterans' services systems; assisting veterans in acquiring services; service coordination; and documentation and reporting of activities as required.

Job Requirements

- BSW, BA, or equivalent experience in a helping profession.
- Commitment to the Preble Street mission, understanding of social work best practices, and experience with homeless and/or poverty-related services.
- Qualified candidates will have knowledge of issues related to homeless, community resources, including those specific to veterans.
- Candidates should have solid communication and organizational skills and the ability to work well independently and as part of a team.
- This position also requires local and statewide travel using a personal vehicle on a regular basis.

Compensation and Benefits

- This position offers competitive pay at a rate of \$16.25 per hour.
- Medical w/100% employer paid option for FT
- Dental w/100% employer paid option for FT
- Vision
- Employer Paid Life, STD, and LTD
- 403(b) retirement plan w/ employer match
- 160 Vacation hours per year, 96 sick hours per year, and 16 personal hours per year
- 12 Paid Holidays
- Optional supplemental Life, Critical Illness, and AD&D options

To Apply

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

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. *Preble Street, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit agency, has been working since 1975 to provide best practice social services that meet urgent needs and end hunger and homelessness for individuals and families in Maine living in poverty. Operating from seven sites in Portland, Lewiston, and Bangor, Preble Street programs include Street Outreach Collaborative, Maine Medical Center-Preble Street Learning Collaborative, Food Programs, Maine Hunger Initiative, Advocacy, Veterans Housing Services, Logan Place, Florence House, Huston Commons, Teen Services, Anti-Trafficking Services, and Homeless Voices for Justice. Preble Street is an equal opportunity employer that does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, sex, military status, age, disability, sexual orientation, gender identity, genetic information, creed, citizenship status, or any other characteristic protected by federal, state or local laws. This policy applies to all of Preble Street's hiring practices, and all terms and conditions of employment.*