



Position: Legal Advocate

Position Type: Regular Full Time/40 hours

Turning Point of Lehigh Valley, a non-profit working to eliminate domestic and intimate partner abuse in the Lehigh Valley, is seeking an energetic, self-motivated professional to fill a Legal Advocate position. The Legal Advocate position provides support, information and referrals, advocacy and accompaniment services for victims of domestic and intimate partner abuse within the civil and criminal legal systems throughout Lehigh and Northampton Counties. The work requires the ability to work diligently and with considerable initiative and independent judgment. Primary responsibilities are in the areas of advocacy, supportive counseling, providing court accompaniment, and providing services in the community.

This position is a full-time, non-exempt position with a starting rate of \$15.50 an hour. We offer excellent benefits, health and life insurance. Perfect for a mission-oriented person who has excellent "customer-service" skills, has the ability to handle crisis situations calmly, effectively, and efficiently and is a team player but can also work independently.

The desired candidate has relevant work/life experience in social work or a criminal justice related field. A Bachelor's or Advanced degree in social services or criminal justice is preferred. Preferred candidates will be bilingual in Spanish and English. Candidate must have reliable transportation and a valid driver's license. Turning Point of Lehigh Valley is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

**All interested parties must submit a cover letter and resume to
hr@turningpointlv.org**