

RESIDENT PROGRAM SPECIALIST

Friendship Ventures Team Quest

Company Description:

Friendship Ventures is a private nonprofit organization that provides a full range of year-round support, recreation and leisure services to children and adults with mental retardation and other developmental disabilities and their families. TEAMQUEST, a program of Friendship Ventures, offers challenge course programs to people of all abilities and ages on single- and multi-day team-development and personal growth programs. At Friendship Ventures' two locations in the Minneapolis/St. Paul metropolitan area, Team Quest programs serves over 5000 people each year from a variety of non-profit, educational and corporate organizations, including extended programs for youth at risk.

Company Type:

- Adventure / Wilderness Therapy Program
- Experiential Education (including challenge/ropes course)
- Summer Camp / Seasonal Program

Type of Position:

- Seasonal

Job Description: Resident Program Staff are seasonal positions with Team Quest. Responsibilities include facilitating groups, helping build and maintain challenge course facilities, and working to organize and implement challenge programs. Responsible to the Director of Adventure Programs to uphold all safety and program standards and ensure a safe, fun and rewarding adventure learning experience.

Geographical Region(s): - North Central USA - OH, IN, IL, MI, WI, MN

Exact Location: Annandale and Eden Prairie, Minnesota

Qualifications: Good communication, leadership and organizational skills. Background in outdoor recreation, adventure learning or challenge courses helpful but not necessary: training in facilitation is provided. Able to commit to live on-site and work for a minimum of two months. Eighteen years of age or 1 year of college preferred.

Salary and Benefits: \$225/wk compensation

Housing; meals provided when food service is in operation

Extensive Training & Experience

Application Closing Date: none

Start Date: August, 2005 or negotiable