

Office of the State's Attorney for Baltimore City

Position Announcement: Assistant State's Attorney for Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion Program (Grant Funded)

Job Description:

The Office of the State's Attorney is seeking to fill the position of Assistant State's Attorney (ASA) for the Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion (LEAD) pilot program. This is a one-year, grant funded position. The continuation of employment after the initial year is dependent upon the availability of future grant funds.

Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion is a voluntary pre-booking diversion program that allows law enforcement officers to redirect low-level offenders engaged in drugs and prostitution activity to community-based behavioral health services. The State's Attorney's Office is working with the Baltimore City Police Department (BPD) and Behavioral Health Systems Baltimore (BHSB) to bring LEAD to Baltimore. The LEAD pilot program officially launches in February in the Lexington Market neighborhood. The hired ASA will work with our partners at BPD and BHSB to implement the pilot program and expand LEAD to other communities throughout Baltimore.

Specifically the ASA will be responsible for the following duties:

- Managing LEAD participants' non-diverted cases
- Monitoring compliance with the LEAD program
- Coordinating case information with law enforcement, case managers and other involved parties
- Recommending and evaluating LEAD protocols and procedures
- Representing the SAO on all LEAD work groups, task forces, etc.
- Completing quarterly grant reports

This full-time position located in downtown Baltimore. The hours are Monday-Friday 10 AM to 6 PM. The selected candidate will be expected to start within 30 days of offer.

Qualifications:

Applicants must possess a JD and be admitted to practice law in the state of Maryland. The selected candidate will be required to submit to drug and alcohol testing as well as a criminal background check before starting employment.

Salary: This is an entry-level position with a salary of \$65,900. Benefits are associated with this position.

To Apply:

All interested persons should email resume and cover letter to <u>resume@stattorney.org</u> by February 24, 2017. Please use "ASA Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion" as the subject reference of your email and in your cover letter. Documents must be in pdf or Word format. Position remains open until filled.

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