

Stellar Farmers' Markets
Food Access & Community Health Programs
New York City Department of Health & Mental Hygiene
Bilingual Nutrition Educator

GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

The Bilingual Nutrition Educator will work directly with a Nutrition Education Consultant (Registered Dietitian/Nutritionist) in the preparation and delivery of nutrition education and cooking demonstrations at farmers' markets. Workshops will be implemented outside at farmers' markets in select high-need neighborhoods with a range of audiences (adults, seniors, parents, and youth). The Bilingual Nutrition Educator will be responsible for ensuring accurate and fluent Spanish translation of nutrition education workshops and cooking demonstrations. This consultancy is part-time and seasonal to coincide with the market growing season (June through November). Selected consultants will be required to attend a 5 day training during the late June and commit to working at least 2 market days per week (~8am – 4pm), including one weekend day, for the duration of the farmers' market season. Consultants will also be expected to attend periodic meetings at our Long Island City location.

DUTIES:

Duties will include, but are not limited to:

- Translate nutrition education workshops and cooking demonstrations from English to Spanish.
- Assist with the preparation and implementation of nutrition education sessions.
- Assist with the set-up and break-down of tent, table and all cooking equipment and educational materials.
- Assist with food preparation for cooking demonstrations, as needed.
- Assist with the implementation of social marketing activities and program promotion at farmers' markets and other community settings.
- Promote nutrition education sessions to ensure minimum required level of participation is achieved.
- Assist with the collection of demographic and evaluation data from workshop participants.
- Participate in trainings and meetings with other program staff.

PREFERRED SKILLS:

- **Spanish and English Fluency Required;**
- Experience in translating information from English to Spanish;
- Experience working in multi-cultural settings with diverse populations;
- Knowledgeable about nutrition and community food security issues in New York City;
- Excellent interpersonal and communications skills, and the ability to work well as part of a team;
- Willingness to work without sitting for long periods and enjoy working in outdoor settings in a variety of weather conditions.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Please send a resume and cover letter to:

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