

BronxWorks

Bilingual Food Educator – Seasonal Part-time Position

BronxWorks helps individuals and families improve their economic and social well-being. From toddlers to seniors, we feed, shelter, teach, and support our neighbors to build a stronger community.

We are seeking a Bilingual Food Educator to work directly with the Lead Educator/Nutritionist in the preparation and delivery of interactive nutrition education workshops alongside cooking demonstrations using the Stellar Farmers' Market curriculum and recipes that feature seasonal produce from our Mott Haven Farmers' Market. Workshops will be implemented outside at the farmers' market and will reach a wide range of audiences (adults, seniors, parents, and youth). The bilingual food educator will be responsible for ensuring accurate and fluent Spanish translation of nutrition education workshops and cooking demonstration. This position is part-time and seasonal to coincide with the farmers' market season (June through November). The selected candidate will be required to attend a 2-day training during the last week in June and commit to working on Mondays, 9am to 5pm (8 hours) from July 10 to November 13, 2017. Attendance to periodic team meetings at our main office will also be required.

Duties:

The Bilingual Food Educator will:

- 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 tents, tables 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 of farmers' markets and other community settings
- Promote nutrition education sessions to ensure 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/qualifications:

- Spanish and English fluency required
- Experience translating information from English to Spanish
- Experience working in multi-cultural settings with diverse populations (familiarity with the Bronx preferred)
- Knowledgeable about nutrition and community food security issues in New York City
- Excellent presentation, interpersonal and communication skills
- Willingness to work standing for long periods of time outdoors in a variety of weather conditions

Instructions for applying:

Interested applicants, please submit a resume and cover letter to Kim Wong (Program Director) via online application link:

https://workforcenow.adp.com/jobs/apply/posting.html?client=bronxworks&jobId=26873&lang=en_US&source=CC3