

HEALTH POLICY FELLOWSHIP AVAILABLE

Connecticut Voices for Children is seeking a well-qualified and enthusiastic person to fill a full-time two-year Health Policy Fellowship position. This Fellowship is specifically designed for a person with strong quantitative skills, knowledge of publicly-financed health care systems for low-income families, and an interest in state-level health policy development and health services research. This position would be ideal for someone who has recently graduated from a Masters or PhD program in public health or public policy who would like experience working in a non-profit organization that works on state health policy.

Connecticut Voices for Children is a research-based public education and advocacy organization that works statewide to promote the well being of CT's children, youth, and families. We do this through high-quality research, budget and public policy analyses; an active and strategic communications plan; and a growing network of organizational partnerships. Please visit our website at www.ctkidslink.org for more information about our areas of focus and recent publications.

The Health Policy Fellow will work with senior staff trained in public health, health care, and law on projects related to children's health and health care in Connecticut's public health insurance (Medicaid/SCHIP) programs, including analyses relating to health care performance monitoring, assistance with preparation with written reports and presentations, and participation in children's health coalition and advisory meetings. The Fellow will also contribute to state legislative initiatives.

Candidates must have a graduate degree in a related field (public health, health law, public policy with a specialization in health); excellent research, writing and presentation skills; strong interpersonal skills and initiative; and a passion to work on the full range of issues that affect the health of low-income families and their children. The candidate must be familiar with publicly financed health care for low-income families (preferably in Connecticut) and basic knowledge of biostatistics. Graduate degrees in public health and/or health policy a plus. Experience in policy research and analysis a plus. This is a salaried position with excellent benefits. Position begins summer 2008.

If interested, please send cover letter, resume, writing sample (maximum of 5 pages) and three references (with contact information) to Taby Ali, CT Voices for Children, 33 Whitney Ave., New Haven, CT 06510 or e-mail application materials to taby@ctkidslink.org.

Position Announced: Friday, April 4, 2008

Last Day to Apply: Friday, May 2, 2008