

## On Call Advocate

### Summary:

The On Call Advocate position is a part-time hourly position. **The primary responsibility of this position is night and weekend crisis response for victims/survivors of forms of sexual abuse.** At times, day time on call shifts are available. The On Call Advocate is responsible to the Sexual Abuse and Domestic Abuse Program Supervisors. This position is based in Story County, but response may take place in any/all areas of ACCESS' service area, including Boone, Greene, Marshall and Tama Counties.

### Responsibilities:

This position is dedicated to after hour crisis response for crisis lines. This includes:

- Answering the dispatch line after hours
- Supporting victims/survivors of violence through after hours hospital and law enforcement response and advocacy
- Connecting victims/survivors of violence with full-time advocates and community resources
- Communication with the sexual and domestic abuse teams and client contact documentation
- Beginning in fall 2021 we will incorporate: Response to issues that arise within our emergency shelter. Coordination with full-time shelter advocates intake approvals, hotel approvals, and after hour bus passes.

### Qualifications:

All staff must successfully complete a 32-hour victim advocacy training and continued training as needed/requested to maintain victim counselor status and to meet the requirements of Chapter 915.20d of the Iowa Code. ACCESS staff should be empathetic, inclusive and non-judgmental. Service provision should focus on the self-determination and empowerment of the victim/ survivor. This staff member must have a valid driver's license, a good driving record according to ACCESS' evaluation, and must have ongoing access to a reliable and insured personal vehicle.

**Hours and Compensation:** The On Call Advocate position is a part-time hourly position. Hours will be determined based on schedule of employee and needs of the team. Because of the on call nature of the position, compensation for being ready to be called into work is provided separately from a regular pay rate for hours actively working. The pay rate is **\$2.00** an hour while on call but not receiving any calls/tasks. When called out to work, the pay rate is **\$14.73** an hour.

**To apply:** Contact Jason Parks, HR Manager at [jason@assaultcarecenter.org](mailto:jason@assaultcarecenter.org). We are first prioritizing hiring for overnight and weekend shifts. Weekday overnight shifts are from 5 pm to 9am. Weekend shifts are 24 hours. We will secondarily prioritize hiring for some selective day time, business hour shifts Monday-Friday from 9 am – 5 pm.