

## **SENIOR DEPUTY DIRECTOR ADDICTION PREVENTION AND RECOVERY ADMINISTRATION (\$128,750 - \$193,125)**

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### **POSITION AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

The District of Columbia Department of Health (DOH) seeks a Senior Deputy Director for the Addiction Prevention and Recovery Administration (APRA). As a member of the executive staff of the DOH, the Senior Deputy Director serves as the technical authority in the development of Department policy and strategy regarding regulation, prevention, treatment, detoxification, and rehabilitation relating to alcoholism and drug abuse among District residents.

In consultation with the DOH Director and in accordance with established DOH objectives, the Senior Deputy Director is responsible for the implementation of alcohol and other drug (AOD) abuse prevention and care policy, including the delineation and prioritization of services and the allocation of financial and human resources. He or she coordinates programs built to compliment components of the criminal justice system, including its various probation departments. His or her work extends also to the organization of residential facilities and outpatient services for abusers.

Effectively the District's "drug czar" and chief spokesperson for community-minded initiatives, the APRA Senior Deputy Director provides executive-level leadership in the creation and administration of programs designed to curtail AOD abuse and to combat the host of social ills connected to addiction.

### **REQUIRED EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE**

The successful candidate for Senior Deputy Director for the Addiction Prevention and Recovery Administration should have either a PhD or an equivalent medical degree in a mental health-oriented discipline. The preferred candidate will have significant experience in the development and management of health care service delivery systems and operations.

### **TO APPLY**

Applications will be reviewed as received. Electronically submit resume to:

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