



JOB TITLE: Accounting Manager

PAY RATE: \$80,000/year

REPORTS TO: Chief Operating Officer

WHY WORK AT ACT?

At Advancing Connecticut Together (ACT), we work to improve the lives of people impacted by poverty and economic disparities, health disparities like HIV/AIDS, homelessness and substance use issues through three programmatic divisions: Care Services, Asset Building, and Harm Reduction. We are a non-profit organization that is passionate about our work and strive to lead through innovation, make measurable progress, collaborate for greater impact, and respect the choices of our participants.

JOB FUNCTIONS: (not all inclusive)

- Oversee all aspects of the general ledger, including month-end and year-end close
- Review the agency's accounting, financial reporting, internal control policies and procedures in order to achieve government and regulatory compliance
- Supervise accounting staff
- Oversee implementation of the cost allocation plan
- Prepare monthly financial and grant reports
- Prepare schedules and reports for annual audit and other grant or regulatory requirements
- Meet with program directors to ensure accurate spending of program budgets
- Oversee payroll, receivables, payables, cash receipts, cash disbursements processing

EXPERIENCE: (REFERENCES REQUIRED)

- At least 8 years overall accounting experience (nonprofit accounting preferred) of which at least 2 years of which as team lead or assistant manager and at least 2 years of which as accounting dept manager.
- Experience overseeing general ledger entries, receivables & cash receipts, payables & cash disbursements, payroll, bank account reconciliation, cash flows, monthly/quarterly/annual close, and annual audit preparation.
- Experience developing programmatic budgets, expenditure monitoring and government reporting for federal, state and municipal grants and contracts.
- Experience ensuring accounting department compliance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) and the Financial Accounting Services Board (FASB).
- Experience with MIP/Abila Fund Accounting or similar accounting systems.



SKILLS/KNOWLEDGE/APTITUDES:

- Excellent mathematical literacy.
- Strong technical skills including advanced Excel concepts.
- Clear understanding of multi-fund, multi-ledger, multi-segmented, accrual based, double-entry accounting.
- A strong ability and inclination for reconciliation across all financial transactions & systems.
- Able to identify, track & resolve inconsistencies/errors/adjustments.
- Practice of documenting and continuously updating procedures and "institutional knowledge".
- Able to assess & manage dept activity, from both short-term and long-term perspectives simultaneously.
- Understands concept of "conflicting objectives" and can manage them.

EXPECTED SUPERVISION STYLE:

- Strong delegating, training skills and the ability to continuously teach others to reach their own potential in the skills listed above.
- Can give effective feedback, displaying respect & modesty inviting feedback of others.
- Collaborative work style & personality with direct reports and management.
- Demonstrates appreciation for experience, input and opinions of department staff and is able to defer to their opinions/views whenever practical.

WHAT WE OFFER FULL-TIME (35 hours per week) EMPLOYEES:

- Dedicated, diverse, and friendly co-workers
- 12 agency holidays
- Agency-subsidized medical, dental, and vision coverage and 100% paid short-term/longterm/life insurance
- 403(b) retirement plan with employer match of 100% up to 3% of pay

SOUND LIKE A GOOD FIT?

If so, please send your thoughtful cover letter and resume to apply@act-ct.org with "Accounting Manager" in the subject line. Resumes received without a compelling personalized cover letter will not be considered. Candidates will be considered on a rolling basis until the position is filled. Due to the anticipated volume of responses, we will contact only those top candidates who most closely match our requirements.

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