



## **Nutrition Educator**

The Community FoodBank of NJ is looking for 29 Nutrition Educators to assist in the delivery of a grant funded nutrition education program at multiple programs and sites as determined by the Regional Supervisor. This role will report directly to the Regional Supervisor. The ideal candidate will be someone who has the ability to effectively present lessons on nutrition and health promotion to a wide variety of target audiences in low-income communities.

Responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- Assist in meeting the grant funded nutrition education program goals by delivering health promotion efforts to target audiences that promote:
  - Physical activity
  - Healthy food choices
  - Engaging in a healthy lifestyle on a budget
  - Decreasing the risk of nutrition related chronic diseases
- Assist in development, planning, and implementation of nutrition education and related activities for multiple programs, including but not limited to:
  - Direct Nutrition Education Class Series:
    - Cooking Matters (youth + adult)
    - Eating Smart, Being Active (Adults)
    - Heart Smarts ( youth + adult)
    - Cent\$ible Nutrition Program (adults)
    - Eat Smart, Live Strong (Older adults)
    - Harvest of the Month (youth + adults)
  - Policy Systems & Environmental Change:
    - Whole School, Whole Community, Whole Child
    - Early Care & Education Learning Collaborative
    - Faithfully Fit (direct education + train-the-trainer)
    - Healthy Corner Store Initiative
- Represent the program and CFBNJ and participate in health fairs for agencies and organizations as requested

Qualified candidates will have Bachelor of Science in Nutritional Science/Dietetics. Bi-lingual language skills (English and Spanish/Creole) is a plus and prior experience providing nutrition education is preferred. Candidates must be at ease with public speaking and be comfortable working with youth and adults in limited resource communities. This position will have a varied work schedule that includes nights and weekends to meet the scheduling needs of partnering organizations and schools. Applicants must have a car as travel to various sites is required along with the capability to carry bulk materials as necessary; up to about 40 lbs. Technical aptitude (Microsoft Word, Excel and PowerPoint) is essential for success, along with a positive, can-do attitude, excellent communication and interpersonal skills, a high degree of self-motivation.