

# Center for Disabilities Studies Employment Opportunity

## Position Title

Life Coach, Pathways for Life Project  
Center for Disabilities Studies

## Summary of Position

As a member of the project team, this staff member provides instruction and coaching to young adults with disabilities engaged in the various programs offered by the Pathways for Life Project. This includes supporting participants as they pursue activities related to personal growth, independent living skills, education, employment, and personal/social development. The position is part-time with a maximum of 20 hour/week.

## Reports To

Project Leader

## Essential Duties and Responsibilities

- Coach participants as they identify and implement the goals of the person-centered plans
- Provide instruction, guidance and support to students in independent living skills
- Maintain documentation which supports program research goals
- Assist in developing program design and curriculum
- Participate in scheduled team meetings and required training/professional development opportunities

## Position Specifications

- BA degree in Disabilities Studies, Human Services, Education, Psychology or related field
- Interest/experience working with people with disabilities
- Strong communication skills; written and oral
- Demonstrates creative problem-solving skills
- Respects confidentiality of program participants
- Commits to Pathways for Life Project philosophy and values
- Dependable, reliable, and open to a flexible work schedule

## Position Requirements

- Criminal background check and drug screening
- Current driver's license

## Time/Benefits

- Contracted part-time position, 20 hours/week
- Immediate vacancy
- Contract is renewable based on funding