



NEW JERSEY CITIZEN ACTION

Job Description – Health Care Organizer

New Jersey Citizen Action (NJCA) is a coalition and grassroots organization that represents 60,000 grassroots members and more than 100 labor, tenant, senior, environmental, fair housing, civil rights, women's, neighborhood and faith-based organizations.

Our mission is to advance social, racial and economic justice, and to ensure that government officials respond to the needs of people rather than the interests of those with money and power. NJCA seeks to advance a progressive political agenda, through collective action and individual empowerment in communities around the state.

The Health Care Organizer will work to build successful health justice campaigns to address health inequities and expand access to quality, affordable health care for all New Jerseyans through grassroots and coalition organizing under the supervision of NJCA's Health Care Program Director.

NJCA's Health Care Organizer – Essential Job Duties

- Work with Health Care Program Director to advance health care advocacy campaigns, programs and events.
- Recruit and mobilize grassroots and grasstop support to engage with elected officials to win support for our health care campaigns
- Recruit and train impacted individuals to act as spokespeople for health care campaigns.
- Organize virtual and in-person events such as community forums, media events, protests, etc.

Additional Job Duties:

- Recruit individuals and new partners to support NJCA's health care campaigns.
- Work with supervisor and NJCA's communications team to help create written health care campaign materials such as action alerts, presentations, fact sheets, etc.
- Recruit individuals/partners to participate in actions, attend meetings and events.
- Help facilitate and participate in health care coalition, partner and legislative meetings.
- Assist in the implementation and reporting for all health care project deliverables.

Knowledge and Abilities:

- Committed to organization's mission.
- Excellent written and verbal communicator.
- Ability to develop and implement strategic, winning state-wide campaigns around progressive issues.
- Self-starter that can work independently as needed on priorities and meet deadlines.
- Strong interpersonal skills including excellent relationship building skills.
- General computer skills including word processing, data base on on-line applications.
- Valid NJ driver's license, insurance and access to car.

Required Education and Experience:

- Minimum 3 years' experience in community, or political organizing
- College degree (years of experience can be substituted for this requirement)
- Bi-lingual in Spanish/English preferred

NJCA is an equal opportunity employer. Women and people of color are strongly encouraged to apply.

Location: Highland Park, NJ. (Currently remote)

Compensation: \$44,000 – 48,000 with attractive benefits package.

To Apply: Email cover letter and resume (as attachments) to:

jobs@njcitizenaction.org