

**Position Title:** Student Success Specialist **Job Type:** Full-time -- two positions available **Locations:** 

One position located in: Erie County

Second position located in: Crawford, Venango, and Forest Counties (office location to be determined) Date Posted: November 1, 2019 Priority Deadline: November 15, 2019 Close Date: Open until filled Salary Range: \$33,000 - \$38,000 depending on experience AND QUALIFICATIONS Job Description: See page 2 Interpersonal skills:

o Public speaking

- Presentations
- Advising student on academics
  Connecting students to community resources
- Working knowledge and/or connections within the Counties listed above

### **Application Process:**

Submit: Letter of interest, resume, and contact information for 3 references to:

Northern Pennsylvania Regional College Attn: Human Resources 300 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, Suite 500 Warren, PA 16365 OR Email to employment-hr@rrcnpa.org -- Include the position title in the subject line

## Pre-Employment Requirements (Minimum – other requirements may apply):

PA Child Abuse History Clearance Pennsylvania Access to Criminal History Record Check Federal Criminal History Background Check Valid Drivers License

## Additional position details:

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# Job Description

POSITION TITLE: Student Success Specialist CLASSIFICATION: Exempt (Annual Salary) DEPARTMENT: Student Affairs DIVISION: Academic Affairs SUPERVISOR'S POSITION: Director of Enrollment and Student Success

## **Position Summary**:

Student Success Specialists (SSS) serve the triple function of community liaisons, admissions recruiters and student advisors. They are the primary point of contact for students, assisting them throughout their college career from admissions to graduation. As admissions recruiters of adult learners, SSS's provide outreach to local businesses and attend community events. They also provide outreach to high schools to recruit students for post-high school enrollment as well as dual enrollment. Excellent verbal and written communication and presentation skills are essential. Associate degree or higher is required.

## **Essential Functions**:

- 1. Advise students, parents and community members on policies, procedures, and processes
- 2. Respond to student questions, requests, and concerns
- 3. Prepare for and participate in recruitment activities to include, but not limited to, presentations at community service organizations, schools, local businesses and chambers of commerce
- 4. Serve as the community liaison by visiting businesses and participating in community events that allow the College to "meet students where they are" in recruitment and public relations efforts
- 5. Provide students with assistance accessing various college offices, functions, and programs
- 6. Serve as the first-line contact for admissions, advising, testing, registration, special needs accommodations, veteran's services, and financial aid
- 7. Educate and assist students in navigating the website, including student portal and online student service processes
- 8. Communicate to students clearly and concisely and document all conversations and interactions
- 9. Other duties as assigned

## Qualifications:

Driver's license and consistent access to a vehicle is required; Associate Degree and experience working with students in higher education environments OR experience with external sales and public presentation are required.

## **Physical Requirements**:

Must be able to meet the physical demands associated with busy academic and community environments.

## Working Conditions:

Work is performed in community and business venues as well as office settings. Must be available to work flexible hours, including evenings and weekends, according to recruitment needs and site operating requirements. Travel is required for meetings, conferences, presentations, and within assigned coverage area.