

Ke Ke'ena Kūpa'a Maui Ola
Office of Wellness and Resilience
Office of the Governor

Wellness and Resilience Coordinator (WRC1, O'ahu with Lived Experience)

About the Office of Wellness and Resilience, Office of the Governor

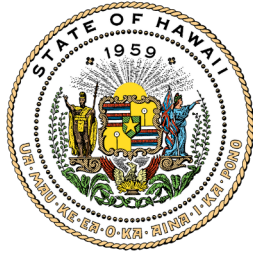
Our goal is to strengthen our state systems and services, using healing-centered principles as strategies to make Hawai'i a trauma-informed state. We break down the barriers that impact the well-being of Hawai'i's people – the keiki to kūpuna. To learn more, visit owr.hawaii.gov.

About the Position

Major Duties & Responsibilities

This position is geographically located and focused on O'ahu (City and County of Honolulu). Under the general supervision of the Director and Deputy Director of the Office of Wellness and Resilience, the Wellness and Resilience Coordinator will:

- Utilize lived experience and expertise as a consumer of state services (mental health, child welfare, judiciary, etc.) to lead and guide the Office's decision-making regarding policies, trainings, programs, physical environment, etc., to ensure they are safe and accommodating of people with lived experience to mitigate re-traumatization.
- Assess and enhance mental health, wellness and resilience supports services to public agencies, schools, community centers, first responders, police departments, fire departments, hospitals and health care staff and, when non-existent, build out culturally grounded and community-informed well-being programming.
- Coordinate community events to create opportunities to address barriers, share research and best practices, provide training and/or technical assistance, and/or collect feedback.
- Build and sustain relationships with community partner organizations and community members to gather, track and measure mental health trends in our communities.
- Educate community partners and other key audiences about mental health, trauma-informed care, wellness, resilience and other Office-related topics.
- Lead and/or support coalition- and community-building work to advance common goals of improving community mental health, trauma-informed care, wellness and resilience.



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Recommended Qualifications

Education:

- Graduation from an accredited college or university with a bachelor's degree in public health and/or administration, planning, social work, ethnic studies or other social science. Master's degree preferred.

Experience:

- At least two (2) years of progressively responsible work experience in a community organization working with a wide variety of social, cultural, historical information and material, including but not limited to, case management and system management
- Ability to inspire and motivate decision-makers, community partners and people of diverse social, economic, cultural, ethnic and/or racial backgrounds
- Demonstrated capacity to work in a fast-paced, dynamic work environment, including ability to be self-directed, anticipate issues and work proactively, manage tasks and meet due dates, and work effectively and problem-solve both independently and in a team
- Demonstrated knowledge of Hawaiian and/or Pacific Islander communities, and experience in local community development and organizing and/or cultural practice
- Strong verbal and written communication skills
- Strong interpersonal communications skillset, including training and education in cultural humility, microaggressions, implicit/unconscious bias, allyship, etc.

Compensation & Benefits

The salary range for this position is \$55,000 to \$70,000 annually, commensurate with education and experience. The State of Hawai'i offers a competitive compensation package. Employees may be eligible for a range of valuable benefits, such as comprehensive health care insurance, life insurance, retirement programs, sick leave, vacation leave and paid holidays. For more information, visit dhrd.hawaii.gov.

To Apply:

Please send your resume and cover letter, detailing your interest in the position and how your background and experience meets the major duties, responsibilities and recommended qualifications of the position, to gov.owr@hawaii.gov with the subject line <WRC1>.