

John Avery Fellowships

Description

Being a John Avery Fellow is a once-in-a-lifetime experience. Fellows are experienced addiction services professionals who want to bring their skills and experiences to Washington, DC, to work at the headquarters of an addiction focused professional association.

Responsibilities will span a gamut of experiences: working in the development and improvement of nationally recognized certifications and educational materials; engaging lawmakers and policymakers in the development of national addiction policy and hands on interactions with other professionals who work in the non-profit, business and government communities.

The program is a yearlong, paid, full-time professional development program. Fellows participate fully in all organizational activities, working with experienced professionals in seeking practical solutions to addiction related issues.

Participants will develop their skills in writing, policy analysis, leadership, critical-thinking and social awareness.

Qualifications and Compensation

Strong written and oral communication skills are essential, as well as an ability to handle a fast-paced working environment. Applicants must be able to demonstrate leadership qualities, experience and perspective within the addiction services profession and strong writing and oral skills. Applicants must have a bachelor's degree or equivalent experience.

Fellowships are open to those with experience in the addiction profession. Fellowships are a 12 month commitment. Participants receive an annual stipend of \$32,000 to \$38,000.

Becoming a Fellow

Please e-mail a brief cover letter, resume, short (2-5 page) writing sample and two references (at least one reference from a former employer) to the attention of Human Resources at naadac@naadac.org. You may also fax the above items to 703.741.7698. Please, no phone calls.

All applicants must possess U.S. work authorization which does not require employer sponsorship.

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