

Job Announcement
Outreach Worker for Migrant Worker Health

The Connecticut Council for Occupational Safety and Health (ConnectiCOSH) is looking for a person to do outreach to Connecticut farm workers concerning worker health issues. The person would assist the current experienced ConnectiCOSH Migrant Farm Coordinator concerning health and safety issues, and would share in the work of building a health and safety movement. The job is demanding but rewarding, requiring both evening and some weekend work. The work will be done February – November each year, with more time spent during the “Growing Season” which is May-August and less time spent in the “Off Season” when there are substantially fewer farm workers in the area.

The position would be ideal for a student in Public Health, Social Work, or a related field. Academic credit and oversight may be arranged through a partnership with UConn Health Center.

Preferred Qualifications include being fluent in Spanish and English, bi-cultural, good at conducting outreach and organizing, and committed to worker’s rights. Computer skills and health education experience. Must have a valid driver’s license and reliable car.

The position pays \$15.00 per hour to start, and will be for about one day a week during the “Off Season” and approximately 2 to 3 days a week during the “Growing Season”. There is no health insurance provided, but there are some other benefits.

CTCOSH is a non-profit union and community based organization that educates and advocates for workers right to a healthy and safe workplace.

ConnectiCOSH is an equal opportunity employer.

Qualified applicants will receive a more detailed description of the duties required for the job prior to an interview.

Resumes must be submitted by May 13, 2008.

Send resumes and inquiries to:

**ConnectiCOSH,
683 North Mountain Road
Newington CT 06111
860-953-2674**

or

Mike.ctcosh@snet.net

Job posted 4/30/08