



## Community Organizer – Anti-Violence Initiative

St. Nicks Alliance is seeking a **Community Organizer** to work with local residents, civic leaders, and elected officials in the **North Brooklyn Anti-Violence Initiative** to increase the safety of streets and public areas impacted by gun violence and illegal drugs in North Brooklyn. The Initiative is addressing issues of street safety, gun violence, and public use of illegal drugs primary within the former Greenpoint Hospital campus area, NYCHA Cooper Park Houses, NYCHA Bushwick Houses, and many single and multi-family homes in North Brooklyn.

### Responsibilities

- Coordinate with non-profit partners, local residents, civic leaders, business, government agencies, and elected officials to collectively strategize to reduce illegal activities and improve the public safety and quality of life around the target areas.
- Strengthen coalition in the **North Brooklyn Anti-Violence Initiative** and grassroots effort to build community and address public display of illegal substance abuse and gun violence threatening community life.
- Work with stakeholders and community leaders identifying “hot spots” for gun violence and illegal activities and assist planning preventive measures to reduce the incidence of illegal events.
- Lead the community outreach and education efforts to engage community members to attend regular anti-violence community events in the service area.
- Assist organizing immediate community responses for all shooting and violent incidents that occur in the focus area.
- Assist the coalition with the planning and facilitation of community events, such street clean-ups, cultural events, and safety meetings.
- Maintain a log of violent/illegal activity within target area that includes gun violence and drug sales.
- Facilitate the group in evaluating selection of partners to: undertake sustained engagement of substance abusers and identification of potential partner groups that can undertake a “Cure Violence Model” to address gun violence

### Candidate Qualifications:

- Possess excellent interpersonal, written and communication skills; strong public speaking skills.
- Bi-lingual (English/Spanish — spoken and written) preferred
- Demonstrated experience facilitating community organizing campaigns.
- Possess deep knowledge of direct service and crisis intervention work or the equivalent
- Ability to work with diverse stakeholders, including community residents, community leaders, elected officials, and city and state agency representatives.
- Ability to work a flexible schedule that includes late evenings, weekends, and holidays.
- Able to walk 30 blocks or more on a regular basis
- An in-depth knowledge of North Brooklyn, in particular the target area (preferred)

**Compensation:** ~\$70,000, commensurate with experience; Health, Dental, and other benefits

**If interested, please send resume and cover letter (via email only) indicating salary requirements to:**

St. Nicks Alliance  
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### **St. Nicks Alliance and its affiliates are Equal Opportunity Employers**

St. Nicks Alliance is a 45+ year old not-for-profit community organization focusing primarily on the neighborhoods in North Brooklyn. Its programs impact more than 17,000 residents annually in the areas of: Housing, Tenant assistance; Workforce Development; Youth and Education; Economic Development and Healthcare.