



CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF RALEIGH
POSITION DESCRIPTION FORM



Catholic Charities
of the Diocese of Raleigh

Position Information

Position Title: Immigration Assistant

Department: Catholic Charities

Reports To (Title): Director of Immigration Legal Services

Work Schedule: M – F Hours: _____ to _____ Other: Monday - Thursday

Type of Employee (Hours worked per week) Regular Full Time (≥30) Regular Part Time (20-29) Part Time (≤20) Temporary (varies)

Percentage of Travel Required 0% 10% 25% 50%+

Exemption status (HR use only)	<input type="checkbox"/> Exempt	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-exempt
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Position Summary

Summarize the overall function or purpose of this position. This should be a concise description of the job.

The Immigration Assistant is primarily responsible for providing general support to the DOJ Accredited Representatives through a variety of tasks and activities. The position will assist with the preparation of documents and applications and engage in frequent customer/client contact. They must project a professional image on behalf of the agency through in-person and phone interactions.

Duties and Responsibilities

Indicate as clearly as possible the significant duties and responsibilities that are **essential** requirements of the job. List the duties in order of importance and the approximate percentage of time for each duty. Focus on major responsibilities rather than detailed work routines.

- Responsible for assisting DOJ Accredited Representatives with the following:
- Answer incoming calls, retrieve messages, and return phone calls as needed
 - Review on-line applications and assign cases to appropriate DOJ Accredited Representative
 - Schedule appointments for DOJ Accredited Representatives
 - Prepare letters and other documents
 - Translation of client documents from Spanish to English
 - Help with case file preparation, filing of case paperwork, mailing of documents, and updating of LawLogics electronic data system
 - Finalize documents after review by DOJ Accredited Representatives ensuring all deadlines are met
 - Scheduling Community Presentations/Workshops

90.00

Duties and Responsibilities *continued from page 1*

Other Duties:

- Maintain strict client confidentiality and observe all other ethical practices/obligations
- Attend agency, staff and community meetings as determined by supervisor
- Perform other duties associated with the general responsibilities of this position and/or as assigned by supervisor

10.00

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Position Qualifications

Formal Education (minimal level REQUIRED for this position)

- No minimum education level
- High School diploma or GED
- Associates or other 2-year degree including technical/trade school
- Bachelors degree
- Masters or Professional degree (M.B.A., J.D., etc.)
- Doctorate

Degree in specific subject area: _____ Degree Type: _____

Concentration: _____

Work Experience (minimum experience REQUIRED for this position)

- Less than 1 year
- 1 - 3 years
- 4 - 6 years
- 7 - 9 years
- 10 + years

Years of specific work experience: Field: _____ Years of experience: _____

Qualifications

- Fluent in Spanish & English oral and written communications required
- Demonstrated ability to work effectively with a wide diversity of people from different ethnic backgrounds
- Excellent speaking and active listening skills
- Strong organizational skills, the ability to multi-task, and work under pressure

Special Requirements:

- Knowledge of and commitment to Catholic social teachings and practices and the mission of Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Raleigh
- Valid NC Driver's License and a vehicle in working order for business use
- Authorized to work in the U.S.

Skills: Proven computer skills including Word, Excel and other appropriate applications

*Job responsibilities may involve travel and some work beyond the regularly scheduled workdays, i.e., weekends and evenings as scheduled, and as needed.

Position Characteristics

Physical Requirements/ Work Environment

(This section must be completed *entirely*, regardless of position)

	Amount of time spent			
	None	<1/3 of time	1/3- 2/3 of time	>2/3 of time
Lifting greater than 20 lbs.	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sitting for extended periods	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Standing for extended periods	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Primarily office work	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Primarily outdoor work	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Primarily indoor work	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Prolonged exposure to heat/cold	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Prolonged exposure to loud noise	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Level of Supervision Received (check the option that best describes the position overall)

Direct Supervision: Supervisor gives specific instructions on all assignments. Work is reviewed regularly for accuracy and completeness.	<input type="radio"/>
General Supervision: Supervisor provides continuing or individual assignments by indicating what generally is to be done, limitations, quality and quantity expected, deadlines, and priorities.	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Intermittent Supervision: Supervisor makes assignments by defining objectives, priorities, and deadlines. Assists employee with unusual situations. Employee carries out successive steps and resolves problems in accordance with instructions and policies.	<input type="radio"/>
Administrative Supervision: Supervisor sets overall objectives and resources available. Collaborate on deadlines, projects, and work to be done.	<input type="radio"/>
Long-Range Administrative Direction: Employee generally proceeds independently in accordance with general plans, policies, and purposes of the department. Results of work are considered technically authoritative.	<input type="radio"/>

The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by the individual assigned to this job. They are not intended to be an exhaustive list of all the responsibilities, duties, and skills required for the position. All employees may have other duties assigned at any time.