

ATTORNEY POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

JOB: STAFF ATTORNEY, Full-Time, Flexibility Offered

LOCATION: Legal Services of Northwest Minnesota, **Bemidji**

ORGANIZATION: Legal Services of Northwest Minnesota (LSNM) provides free legal representation in civil matters to low-income clients in 22 northwest Minnesota counties. (LSNM combines three staffed offices, a Judicare and Pro Bono Program.)

DUTIES: May include, but are not limited to: representing low-income clients primarily in poverty law areas of family law, public benefits, Social Security Disability, health, public housing, and landlord-tenant; managing a caseload; preparing and delivering client and attorney training and other community education; conducting intake and outreach; special legal and community projects impacting low income clients. Some travel required.

QUALIFICATIONS: Law degree and a license to practice law in Minnesota or eligibility for admission by motion or reciprocity. Provisional hiring contingent upon taking and passing the Minnesota bar examination is possible. Poverty law and family law experience preferred. Ability and willingness to work with private bar. Valid driver's license and reliable vehicle required. Diverse economic, social or culture experience area is a plus. Demonstrated oral and written advocacy skills. Sensitivity to needs and problems of clients.

STARTING SALARY RANGE: \$60,000.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Open until filled.

SEND LETTER WITH RESUME AND THREE REFERENCES VIA EMAIL ONLY TO:
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