

Career E-minder

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NHHA Week:

Each year, one week before Thanksgiving, The National Coalition for the Homeless and the National Students Against Hunger and Homelessness co-sponsor *National Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week*. This year, the week starts on November 11th through the 17th. During this time schools, communities and cities take part in a nationwide effort to bring greater awareness to the problems of homelessness.

This year, Waterfront Rescue Mission has taken on the project once again in leading the efforts to meeting the needs of the nearly 17,000 homeless men, women and children in Escambia and Santa Rosa counties. Participating in NHHAW not only promotes awareness on a national level, but brings the issues to the forefront in our community and neighborhoods. This is an excellent way for young adults to become involved in social issues that demand our attention.



Photo: UWF students help paint the Women's Shelter

NHHA Week cont...:

Volunteer UWF! Has placed an item drive box in the Commons by the Service Desk to collect items that will go a long way for the daily care of the homeless being served. Items being collected:

- toothbrushes, toothpaste
- disposable razors, shaving gel
- soap, shampoo
- deodorant
- body wipes
- travel size lotions

Organizations and individuals are strongly encouraged to show support for this cause and participate in the drive. Other events that are planned for the week are:

- **Mon. Nov. 12-16**, Escambia County School District Food Drive
- **Wed. Nov. 14**, "Brown Bag It for the Homeless Day", take a lunch to school or work and donate the expense of eating out to Waterfront Rescue Mission
- **Thurs. Nov. 15**, Live televised "Faces of Homelessness Panel" at WUWF TV; 7pm

If you have any questions about NHHAW or would like further information on how to help out, contact Tiffany Jurey at tiffanyjurey@uwf.edu/474-3115 or Cheryl P. Hunter, Development Associate for Waterfront Rescue Mission at chunter@waterfrontmission.org or visit www.waterfrontmission.org.

IMPORTANT INFO!

- **December 3rd, 2007**; Volunteer UWF! Timesheets are due by 5pm. If you have any questions, contact Tiffany Jurey at tiffanyjurey@uwf.edu or Dee Dee Wyckoff at dwyckoff@uwf.edu. You can also call 474-3115. If you need to pick up a timesheet, you can do so at the Career Services Office, Bldg. 19.

Job of the Week:

#4433/ Specialized Foster Care Counselor

The mission of Lakeview Center is to "Help People Overcome Life's Challenges". Lakeview Center strives to provide the highest quality behavioral health care and vocational services to meet the needs of the people in these areas: Mental Health Services, Substance Abuse Treatment, Vocational Services and Crises Services.

Position is a M-F, 8am-5pm job where days and hours may vary staying at a 40 hour week. Salary is based on experience; must have a Bachelor's degree in psychology or related field with one year of relevant work experience.

Job responsibilities will include participating in component activities, participating as a member of specialized/therapeutic foster care units, act as a liaison with referral sources by maintaining open lines and great communication. Interested applicants should visit Career center at www.ebaptisthealthcare.org/lakeview and complete online application. Lakeview Center is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action/M/F/D/V Drug Free Workplace. Questions? Log on to JasonQuest to find out more about the position and/or contact Hilda Price at hilda.price@bhcpns.org.

Water Cooler Joke of the Week

As a mail runner for a state government office, I have learned many things. For instance: I learned what interdepartmental means. I had to break it down to get it, but it makes sense, now.

- "inter-" is a prefix meaning "between two or more parties"

- "depart" means to leave, or take leave of something.

- "mental" has to do with reasoning thought.

Put it all together, and "interdepartmental mail" is mail that is sent between two parties who have taken leave of their reasoning thought.

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