



## **HMHB Contract Consultant: Community Prenatal Educator**

**Overview:** Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition of Georgia seeks several qualified applicants for the contracted position of ‘Community Prenatal Educator’.

### **The Project:**

HMHB provides community-based prenatal education and resources to expectant mothers across Georgia. Through our comprehensive curriculum, we provide critical information regarding breastfeeding, perinatal HIV prevention, oral health, SIDS prevention, maternal mental health, accessing and locating birth support professionals, family planning, and extant public services including the Text4Baby application, Newborn Screening Program (DPH), Babies Can’t Wait, the HMHB Maternal and Child Health Referral Line, etc..

In collaboration with partners, we make these classes available to expectant women who are potentially high-risk, members of vulnerable populations, or face other barriers in accessing prenatal care and resources during pregnancy. Our comprehensive curriculum covers priority information on evidence-based maternal and infant health improvement measures to address gaps in information received during the prenatal period. The experienced prenatal educator will be primarily responsible for:

- Coordinating with the partner agency and HMHB staff to register expectant women for the class.
- Becoming fully trained in the HMHB brief-intervention format prenatal workshop(s) offered to community partners by attending a one-time workshop.
- Conducting scheduled workshop(s) with partner agencies.
- Assuring data collection at each workshop including: registration, pre-test, post-test and evaluation.
- Sometimes work with translators to deliver workshop to international communities.
- Providing a brief report outlining the outcomes from the workshop(s) conducted.

### **Required Qualifications:**

- Available to conduct workshops on occasion between January and December, 2018.
- Willing and able to travel throughout metro-Atlanta AND/OR Augusta regions.
- Must have prior experience in working with low-income consumers.
- Must have excellent public speaking and communications skills.
- Ideal candidate will be well organized and have event management experience.
- Must demonstrate working knowledge of maternal and infant health.
- Can work with a diverse group of community, business, government and non-profit stakeholders to accomplish a common goal.
- Importantly, our instructors must have demonstrated cultural competency in serving women of color and young mothers.



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**Preferred Qualifications:**

- Knowledge of Medicaid and public services available to expectant women.
- Certified Childbirth Educator (CCCE, AAHCC Bradley, Lamaze, ACBE, ICEA or comparable).
- Certified Lactation Counselor or International Board Certified Lactation Consultant.
- Degree in Public Health, Social Work or comparable.

**To Apply:** Please email your current resume or CV, a cover letter expressing your interest (body of email is fine), and two references who can speak to the qualifications listed above, to Mica Whitfield at [mica.whitfield@hmhbga.org](mailto:mica.whitfield@hmhbga.org). Please, no phone calls.

**Rolling Deadline:** We will continue to take applications throughout the year, but response will be based on current need within the program.

*Consultant is an independent contractor and will be responsible for payment of his/her own taxes. HMHB will issue a 1099 for payments made during calendar year of service. HMHB will not provide any fringe benefits, including health insurance benefits, paid vacations, or any other employee benefit, for the benefit of Consultant or any agents, employees, or contractors of Consultant. As an independent contractor, Consultant will pay all taxes imposed and other liabilities incurred as an independent contractor. Project-related travel will be reimbursed in accordance with State Travel Policy.*

**About HMHB:** Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition of Georgia's mission is to improve maternal and child health through advocacy, education and access to vital resources. Our vision is that every mother and child in Georgia will have access to resources for a healthier life. Learn more about HMHB by visiting us online at: [www.hmhbga.org](http://www.hmhbga.org). We are an equal opportunity employer.