

# **BISHOP'S COUNCIL ON ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUGS DIOCESAN ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

**Position:** Resource Specialist

## **Purpose of Position**

A resource to inform, educate, and support the healing of individuals and families, by providing community referrals, and promoting community resources, while encouraging reconciliation with God.

## **Responsibilities**

- Participate in initial training requirement and continuing education classes.
- Able to respond to request in a timely manner.
- Become knowledgeable and aware of current resources.
- Ability to promote program to parishes/wider community.
- Attend various meetings such as monthly DAP support meeting.

## **Qualifications**

- Practicing Catholic.
- A minimum of three years sobriety.
- Ability to interact with people with such skills as: empathy, openness, responsibility, confidence, and flexibility.
- Ability to maintain confidentiality.
- Prayerful attitude.

**Amount of Time Required:** Variable

**Length of Commitment:** Two year minimum

**Training Provided:** Bishop's Council on Alcohol and Other Drugs

**Support Provided:** Bishop's Council on Alcohol and Other Drugs

**Responsible to:** Bishop's Council Advisory Council