

## **JOB OPENING – PLEASE CIRCULATE**

The Women’s Resource Center of the New River Valley (WRCNRV) is seeking candidates for the position of **Executive Director**. Founded in 1977, the WRCNRV is a non-profit, human service organization serving Floyd, Giles, Montgomery and Pulaski Counties and the City of Radford in Southwest Virginia. The mission of the WRCNRV is to implement individual and social change for a violence-free community in the New River Valley region of Virginia. This work is accomplished by providing programs and services to adults and children who have experienced sexual or domestic violence, and by providing education, training, and prevention programming to the public and to allied professionals.

WRCNRV provides a full array of services needed by persons who have experienced domestic violence and sexual assault. The WRCNRV provides both direct crisis services and ongoing services for adults and their children who have experienced violence. The array of crisis services provided by the organization includes a live and local 24/7/365 hotline, crisis intervention, safety planning, lethality assessment, transportation, emergency advocacy, and emergency shelter. The array of ongoing services provided includes legal advocacy, information and referral, transitional housing, rapid rehousing, children’s services, counseling and support (both individual and group), and a copyrighted in-school prevention curriculum named *Peaceline*. In FY17-18, the WRCNRV provided direct crisis and ongoing services to 3,702 individuals (domestic violence and sexual assault, not including over 17,000 education and prevention service recipients).

WRCNRV has an annual budget of over \$2 million and employs 34 staff members who are aided by over 400 volunteers. Revenues include federal, state and local grants, a range of foundations, and a strong base of private donors.

Candidates for Executive Director must demonstrate at least five years of leadership experience in the fields of domestic violence and/or sexual assault, and hold a Master’s degree or higher in a related discipline. Critical competencies include: A passion for the mission, stakeholder engagement skills, knowledge of best practices in the field, awareness of Southwest Virginia culture and resources, staff leadership, organizational management, and proven visionary leadership.

Interested candidates should submit a cover letter, resume, and contact information for three references to: P. O. Box 11064, Blacksburg, VA 24062. Inquiries may be addressed to:

[WRCNRVDirectorSearch@gmail.com](mailto:WRCNRVDirectorSearch@gmail.com). More information on the organization may be obtained at: [www.wrcnr.org](http://www.wrcnr.org). The priority review date for applications is July 23, 2019.