Division of Social Justice
Health Care Bureau
Assistant Attorney General - New York City
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Application Deadline is July 11, 2020

The New York State Office of the Attorney General is seeking an experienced attorney to serve in its Health Care Bureau in New York City. The Health Care Bureau seeks to protect consumers from deceptive or illegal practices and to ensure access to health care by bringing civil prosecutions for violations of health, insurance, deceptive practice, antidiscrimination and other applicable laws. In addition, the Bureau advocates for legislation and policy initiatives to enhance the rights of health care consumers and their ability to access quality, affordable care in New York State. The Bureau has been recognized for its enforcement work in the areas of mental health parity and predatory practices, among other areas, as well as for its consumer Helpline, which assists in resolution of individual consumer complaints.

The selected attorney’s primary responsibilities will be to lead investigations and enforcement actions in furtherance of our mission to protect consumers and may include active litigation work to hold accountable those responsible for the opioids epidemic in New York and nationally. The Health Care Bureau cases typically seek injunctive relief, restitution, costs and penalties.

Applicants must possess a minimum of three (3) years of civil litigation or other directly relevant experience. Excellent writing, analytical and organizational skills are also required. Candidates possessing experience in health advocacy, consumer protection and/or affirmative litigation and have demonstrated a commitment to public service are strongly encouraged to apply.

Applicants must reside in (or intend to soon become a resident of) New York State and be admitted to practice law in New York State. In addition, the Public Officers Law requires that attorneys in the Office be citizens of the United States. A two (2) year commitment upon being hired is a condition of employment.

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Candidates from diverse backgrounds are encouraged to apply. The OAG is an equal opportunity employer and is committed to workplace diversity.

HOW TO APPLY

Applications are being received online and must be received by July 11, 2020 to ensure consideration. To apply, please visit our careers website: https://ag.ny.gov/job-postings.

Applicants must be prepared to submit a complete application consisting of the following:

• Cover Letter (You may address to Legal Recruitment);
• Resume;
• List of three (3) professional references with contact information and email addresses;
• Most recent law school transcript (if less than 5-years postgraduate) and
• Writing Sample.

Please note: Failure to submit a complete application will delay the consideration of your application

If you have questions regarding a position with the OAG and the application process or you need assistance with submitting your application, please contact the Legal Recruitment Bureau via email at recruitment@ag.ny.gov or phone at 212-416-8080.

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