



## Excluded Worker Fund Outreach Associate

Rural & Migrant Ministry Inc.

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Rural & Migrant Ministry Inc. (RMM) works for the creation of a just rural New York State by: Nurturing leadership; standing with the disenfranchised, especially farmworkers and rural workers and; changing unjust systems and structures. For more information about RMM, please visit our web-site [www.ruralmigrantministry.org](http://www.ruralmigrantministry.org)

RMM is hiring several Outreach Associates across rural New York State to help get the word out to families about the Excluded Worker Fund (EWF). The EWF is a \$2.1 billion fund created by New York State to provide one-time financial relief to workers who suffered during the pandemic and were not eligible for state or federal stimulus funds. The Outreach Associates will work with RMM staff to ensure that rural communities are aware of the EWF, and will help eligible people register for the Fund.

The EWF Outreach Associate position is a part-time position of sixteen hours a week (flexible hours) for one year. The position is an hourly position (non-exempt) compensated at \$20 per hour. There are four locations (matching our Regional Centers) in the: Catskills, Hudson Valley, Long Island, and Finger Lakes-Lake Ontario.

**Responsibilities** of the EWF Outreach Associates include:

- Outreach into the communities we serve through events, caravans, and house meetings
- Group presentations
- One on one meetings/presentations
- Outreach at RMM events, as well as other events
- Assisting workers with EWF applications
- Related outreach efforts to educate Excluded Workers about benefits, rights and opportunities
- Educating allies in the faith, labor and education communities

The position will require collaboration with farmworkers, other RMM staff members, and allies within the faith, labor, academic and activist communities.

**Requirements** of the position include:

- Developing a comprehensive understanding of the purpose, structure and requirements of the Excluded Workers Fund
- Willingness to travel throughout rural areas within the assigned region
- Cultural competence and a sensitivity to the diverse communities within rural New York

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- Bilingual in Spanish and English (preferred)
- Able to work irregular hours
- Work experience and a strong commitment to social change process
- Interpersonal, networking, and organizing skills
- Self-motivated with excellent speaking skills
- A commitment to the Mission and programs of RMM
- A valid driver's license and access to a personal vehicle

This is a part-time position with flexible hours and days. RMM offers access to a vehicle or reimbursement for work-related travel.

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