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COMMUNITY AUTISM PEER SPECIALIST
(CAPS) PROGRAM

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Are you an autistic individual who wants to use your experience to help other people on the Spectrum?

The Spring 2024 CAPS Training may be a great opportunity for you!

CAPS Training/Position Requirements:

- **Lived Experience:** Individuals who are 18 years of age or older with an autism diagnosis. Please note that we have also accepted research evaluation reports.

- **Education/Employment History:**
  - ‣ A high school diploma or GED from an accredited institution
  - ‣ Within the past three years:
    - Maintained at least 12 months of successful full or part-time paid or voluntary work experience
      or
    - Obtained at least 24 credit hours of post-secondary education

- **Two professional references are required.** References can be past employers, educators, or other individuals who can speak to your skills and fit for this training program.

Application:

Rolling Admission until spots are filled.

Training Date and Time:
April 15th, 2024 – May 3rd, 2024. The training occurs over the course of 2-3 weeks (with one week devoted to job shadowing). The training will not take place every day. Participants should be prepared to be available **9 am – 5 pm**. Kindly be advised that the timeline is subject to change. We appreciate your understanding and will keep you updated on any adjustments.

Location:

Community Behavioral Health (CBH),
801 Market Street, Philadelphia and virtually. More details will be provided to participants.

For more information:

More information on the CAPS Training Program and the online application can be found at: **www.phillyautismproject.org/peer/**

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