



Running Strong for American Indian Youth is hiring a Program and Media Associate for our Alexandria, VA-based office!

**Who are we?**

Running Strong for American Indian Youth® is a national nonprofit organization serving American Indian communities throughout the United States. Our mission is to help American Indian families meet their immediate survival needs--food, water and shelter--while identifying and supporting programs to encourage self-sufficiency and self-esteem, particularly for American Indian youth. Working with our National Spokesperson, Olympic Champion Billy Mills, staff in the field, and local community leaders, we are building a new generation of leaders from today's Indian youth.

**Position Description**

Come join our small yet dynamic team and support our programs nationwide to support American Indian youth! Work at a national nonprofit organization co-founded by Olympic Champion, Billy Mills (Oglala Lakota). Running Strong VA office staff provide administrative and program support to our program partners. We make cash and inkind (new items like backpacks filled with school supplies, new winter coats and boots, etc.) donations while making sure to meet our high evaluation standards. We plan events like our annual Reservations bus tour to take supporters to the Pine Ridge and Cheyenne River Indian Reservations and host our Annual Dreamstarter Academy here in Washington DC. We provide updates about our impact on our website, [www.IndianYouth.org](http://www.IndianYouth.org) and social media.

Strong candidates for this mid or entry level position will have strong organizational and nonprofit skills, experience in event planning, capacity for strategic thinking, problem solving, and consensus building, personal style that embodies commitment to collaboration and teamwork, computer skills, the ability to travel and valid driver license. Appreciation for Native issues, Native cultural competency and/or experience living and working in Native communities a plus.

We offer competitive salaries and benefits which include medical, dental, vision, 401(k) with match, and tuition reimbursement.

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