

**For Immediate Release:**

**Immediate Position Available  
Coalition for Independent Living Options, Inc.**

**JOB TITLE: CRIME VICTIM PRACTITIONER**

**PROGRAM:** Crime Victim Services

**STATUS:** Grant-Funded, Full-Time

**LOCATION:** Treasure Coast, FL (Martin, St. Lucie, Okeechobee, and Indian River counties)

**JOB SUMMARY:** Provide direct services to crime victims with disabilities as outlined under the Victims of Crime Act including but not limited to court accompaniment, support groups/peer counseling, information & referrals, restraining order assistance, personal advocacy, criminal justice support & advocacy, assistance with victim's compensation claims, crisis counseling, and emergency legal advocacy. Attend outreaches, community events, and provide presentations in an effort to identify victims. Participate in local Coalitions, Councils, and Task Forces with a focus on increasing stream-lined service delivery to underserved or under-identified populations with a focus on crime victims with disabilities.

**JOB QUALIFICATIONS:** Bachelor's degree or higher in a related field (such as human services) OR a High School Diploma or equivalent with at least 3 years of related experience. The candidate must have knowledge of community resources as well as some general knowledge of crime victim services and direct service provision. The candidate must also have personal experience with disability, be able to relate to & work with consumers with various disabilities, work with a diverse age range, and be committed to the Independent Living philosophy. Travel throughout the Treasure Coast area (Martin, St. Lucie, Okeechobee, Indian River) is required. The ability to work with minimal supervision is essential. Bilingual preferred.

**APPLICATION INFORMATION:** Interested applicants should submit a resume and cover letter by email to Brandy Macaluso, Coordinator of Victim Services at [bmac@cilo.org](mailto:bmac@cilo.org). Please indicate if you are applying for the part-time or full-time posting. Successful candidates will be subject to a background check. No phone calls will be accepted.

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**Also Now Accepting Applications:  
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**LOCATION:** Palm Beach County, FL

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