

Position: Director of Development
Organization: Fertile Dreams
Location: Florida

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Fertile Dreams is a non-profit organization focused on the problems and issues surrounding infertility. Established in 2004 by Mark P. Trolice, MD, a fertility specialist in Orlando, Florida, Fertile Dreams' mission is to empower those touched by fertility issues through prevention, education, and advocacy. It is committed to redefining public perceptions of infertility by facilitating dialogue, dispelling myths, and championing for fertility rights, thereby eradicating the stigma that exists today. The organization is seeking a high-impact, visionary Director of Development to spearhead this organization and expand to a national/international level. This position is based in Winter Park, Florida. For more information on the organization, go to www.fertiledreams.org.

Description: Fertile Dreams envisions a world in which individuals discuss fertility issues without feeling embarrassed and inadequate, a world where young people are aware and attuned to the importance of maintaining a healthy lifestyle to preserve their fertility, and one in which everyone celebrates and recognizes the miracle of a child joining a family, no matter how the family is created. The Director of Development will provide the leadership of the organization; help strengthen and diversify the organization's fundraising activities; build alliances with other local, regional, and national entities to realize both annual and long term fundraising objectives through a comprehensive range of initiatives involving individual and institutional giving; oversee all planning, long-term goals and objectives; and serve as primary spokesperson for the organization. The Director of Development reports to the Board of Directors.

Qualifications: The ideal candidate will have a passion for fulfilling the mission and vision of Fertile Dreams. He/She will have demonstrated success in development and fundraising including: annual development planning, donor cultivation, foundation and corporate relations, special events, planned giving and/or endowment development. In addition, the candidate should have highly developed leadership and management skills; proven abilities in building collaborative relationships; and expertise in public speaking, community/public relations, marketing, research and fundraising. He/she must possess excellent interpersonal, organizational, writing, presentation and project management skills, as well as proven working relationships with volunteers and major donors. Candidates must have at least five years with progressively responsible experience at a not-for-profit, as well as at least four years managerial experience at a director level or above. Bachelor's degree required, advanced degree preferred.

Apply: Send resume & salary history to Director of Development, 5931 Brick Court, Winter Park, FL 32792 or info@fertiledreams.org