

Senior Immigrant Settlement Services

English Conversation Circle Facilitator

- Purpose
 — To assist participants in the program to achieve greater

 fluency and confidence in the English language through
 conversation in an informal group setting
- Duties/Responsibilities Facilitate English conversation circles using the program curriculum
 - Attend and participate in the Facilitators' orientation and ongoing training sessions
 - Meet with ESL participants on a weekly basis as assigned
 - Using materials from the curriculum, initiate and stimulate conversation during the sessions
 - Make every effort to involve each member equally
 - Provide participants with encouragement and constructive feedback
 - Take group attendance and maintain regular communication with the supervisor to provide session updates and for consultation regarding issues or concerns as needed



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Qualifications	- Must be culturally sensitive.
	- Interest in working with people from different cultures and
	with older adults
	 Leadership skills and experience in facilitating groups
	 Excellent written and oral communication skills
	 Friendly and welcoming manner
Training	 Orientation/Workshops on working in English
	as a Second Language (ESL) program are provided
Supervision	 Supervised by assigned program manager
Time Requirement	 Two hours per week (90-minute session & prep time)
Commitment	 Six month commitment preferred
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