



**Because Everyone Deserves a  
Healthy Relationship**

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## **Leadership & Engagement Intern**

### **Our Work**

Break the Cycle is a national nonprofit organization whose mission is to inspire and support young people to build healthy relationships and create a culture without abuse. Our values and work are centered in young people and their lived realities, leadership, vision, and hopes for the future. We aspire to deepen our programs and catalyze social change so that all young people can move through the world with dignity and respect.

Break the Cycle is a culturally affirming organization with a dynamic and diverse team that believes all young people deserve to live in a world where they can thrive.

### **Internship Description**

This position will focus on youth organizing, peer informed and peer led initiatives based on youth development standards and the socio-ecological model, youth education, and peer to peer outreach. The Youth Coalition Intern will support a multi-level approach of engaging youth in leadership and advocacy, while building on existing community efforts.

### **Responsibilities Include:**

The Leadership & Engagement Intern will reflect a commitment to and valuing of diverse cultural perspectives, as well as respect and integrate the leadership and expertise of young people from diverse backgrounds into all facets of program work. The intern must also demonstrate experience working with young people across the prevention and intervention spectrum, as well as understand systems and structures of oppression that intersect with and impact the lived realities of our constituents and the communities with which they identify.

- Building youth movements online and offline within the target areas of, dating violence, sexual assault, human trafficking and cyber abuse.
- Recruiting members for national youth and adult coalitions.
- Promoting program development, purpose and activities.
- Developing resources, materials and toolkits for regional and national distribution.
- Leading engaging discussions with youth groups between the ages of 12-24.
- Researching content on issues and trends that relate to youth.

### **Qualifications**

- Experience leading and engaging youth ages 12-24 in action
- Ability to create engaging, positive content related to youth ages 12-24
- Strong writing and editing skills
- Ability to work independently and take initiative
- Eagerness to learn more about healthy relationships, consent, and dating abuse

If interested, please send a resume and cover letter of your relevant experiences to Jasmine Uribe at [juribe@breakthecycle.org](mailto:juribe@breakthecycle.org).

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