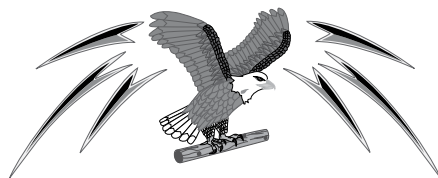


Job Opportunity



The Confederacy of Mainland Mi'kmaq

Resolution Health Support Worker /Clinical Therapist (1) Position 1 Year Term Position

The Confederacy of Mainland Mi'kmaq (The CMM) is hiring a one year term position for a Resolution Health Support Worker (RHSW), with the possibility of renewal. The successful candidate will work from The CMM main office in Millbrook First Nation.

Under the direction of the Director of Community Programs & Corporate Services the Resolution Health Support Worker will be responsible for supporting Residential School Survivors and their families.

The RHSW program was developed to provide wholistic supports that acknowledges and attempts to address the intergenerational impact that Indian Residential School systems have had on First Nations individuals, families and communities. The goal of the RHSW position is to deliver a range of community based services to First Nations individuals, specifically those impacted by the residential school system and includes services to survivors and their descendants.

Qualifications:

- Post secondary education in the area of Social Work, Psychology, or Human Services with a focus on mental health and addictions from a recognized post secondary institution, with a minimum of three (3) years' experience; or the equivalent education and work experience;
- Knowledge, and experience working with, and in, First Nations communities and demonstrated understanding of the historical and contemporary contexts impacting wellness in First Nations communities;
- Have an in-depth understanding of issues affecting Residential School Survivors i.e., physical /emotional abuse, sexual abuse, grief, addictions, anger and relationship issues;
- Experience with the Residential School Survivor impact and processes, including the Independent Assessment Process (IAP) will be considered an asset;
- Knowledge of, and ability to provide culturally safe clinical, consultation, assessment and counselling support;
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills with an ability to communicate complex information to a variety of target audiences; strong interpersonal, problem solving and analytical skills;
- Ability to work independently and effectively under tight time lines and competing priorities;
- Have good computer skills and be knowledgeable and have experience with programs such as ACCESS, EXCEL, Microsoft Word, etc;
- Ability to work within a multi-disciplinary context (family, community, school, justice, addictions, hospitals, mental health settings);
- Position includes extensive travel and flexible work hours, including weekends and evenings
- Demonstrated ability to work collaboratively and cooperatively with a wide variety of individuals, agencies and organizations both internally and externally to the community;
- Be a registered member of their professional organization if applicable;
- Ability to speak Mi'kmaq considered an asset
- Valid driver's license, current vehicle insurance coverage and access to a reliable vehicle are essential

Application Deadline: February 24, 2017 at 1 PM

We thank all applicants but only those selected for interview will be contacted.

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