



Attawapiskat Health Services

P.O. Box 248, Attawapiskat, Ontario P0L 1A0

Phone: (705) 997-2149 Admin. Fax: (705) 997-1307 Public Health Fax: (705) 997-2387

Reposted: July 20, 2017

Family Wellbeing Community-based Worker

Description:

The Family Wellbeing community-based Worker delivers prevention focused, culturally-responsive supports for families to heal from the effects of intergenerational trauma, reduce family violence, and address the over representation of Attawapiskat First Nation children and youth in child welfare and youth justice systems. The Worker develops family wellness plans, delivers workshops or sharing circles, and outreach that educates in preventive choices leading to healthy lifestyles, provide referrals and advocacy, community networking and other relevant services.

Abilities & Skills:

Navigation of justice system (child welfare, youth justice, family court, violence against women)
Development and implementation of program design
Experience in community-based programming for children/youth/families
Experience in culturally-based, prevention focused community events
Experience in land-based traditional healing programs
Maintain client files, intake forms, documentation, wellness plans and case notes
Coordination and collaboration of additional health and wellness services with external organizations on behalf of the client as needed
Network with other health related agencies
Ability to work as part of a team and independently with minimal supervision

Qualifications:

Post-Secondary education in a Social Sciences related field and/or minimum 2-year experience in providing social support services to clients in a First Nations setting
Proficiency with computer programs (Outlook, Excel, Word and PowerPoint)
Ability to work as part of a team and independently with minimal supervision
Knowledge of Attawapiskat First organization and programs
Knowledge and ability to liaise with external programs and services
Available to work flexible hours with ability to work extended hours or weekends as necessary
Willingness and ability to travel throughout Ontario
Ability to speak Cree (western James Bay dialect)
Current CPIC Vulnerable Sector Check

Extended Closing Date: July 31, 2017, 4 p.m. EST

Submit: covering letter, current resume, three (3) work related references, and CPIC to:

Lorraine Koostachin

A/Director of Operations

P.O. Box 248

Attawapiskat, Ontario P0L 1A0

Fax: 705-997-2422 Email: payroll@attawapiskat.org

Only applications selected will be contacted.