



Beausoleil First Nation

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Community Wellness Worker

Description

The Community Wellness Worker is responsible for providing community support services to the community by delivering primary prevention and community based wellness programming as they relate to family violence. The Community Wellness Worker will report to the Health Director and work as part of the Health Centre team to provide integrated support services for Beausoleil First Nation, with a focus on promoting the safety and well-being of families and children through the strengthening of relationships within the home, their culture, and the community.

Qualifications:

- Social Work Diploma/Degree or equivalent, or experience in a related field
- Relevant combination of education and related experience and knowledge will also be considered
- Indigenous ancestry preferred with working knowledge of Anishnaabe culture, traditions, and language
- Able to meet Beausoleil First Nation's Covid 19 vaccination policy requirements prior to employment.

Duties:

- Coordinate family wellness planning
- Provide services such as in-home support, referrals for crisis peer support/counseling and ensuring clients get referred to appropriate programs and services
- Providing referrals for counseling and intervention services and programs to children and youth who have been exposed to and/or have experienced violence
- Assist families with information regarding programs and community resources and events
- Work with clients on goal-oriented and time-limited appointments
- Liaising and advocating on behalf of families
- Develop new parenting tools for families to cope with parenting challenges
- Support the aim of increasing a sense of belonging through cultural awareness and activities to assist with the successful implementation of family violence prevention strategies
- Liaise with and strengthen our internal partnerships (e.g. Social Services, Education Dept.) In order to better serve and advocate for clientele
- Network and liaison professionally with community agencies and resources, in order to promote and increase the community's overall health & well-being

Other Requirements:

- Valid driver's license and access to a reliable vehicle
- Current vulnerable police sector check (VSS) required within two weeks minimum of employment offer

Hours of Work: 35 hours/week (some evenings & weekends required)

Length of Employment: Contract until March 31, 2024 (extension past this date based on availability of funding) **Salary Range:** DOQ/DOE

Direct Supervisor: Deborah Laramey, Health Director

Functional Supervisory: A. Dan Monague, First Nation Administrator

Location: Beausoleil Family Health Centre

Closing Date: **Friday Sept 8, 2023**

Applications shall be delivered to the front desk at the Beausoleil First Nation Administration Building.

Attn: H/R Mgr. Applications must consist of the following:

Cover letter, current resume, and references available upon request.

Your application package must be clearly marked with your name and the position you are applying for. Faxed or e-mailed applications are acceptable to jobs@chimnissing.ca and fax# 705-247-2239, however, applicants selected for an interview must present the original signed letter of application at the interview.

We thank all who apply, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.