



Beausoleil First Nation

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Employment Opportunity

The Beausoleil First Nation is seeking to hire a trained and experienced person who, working as part of a team will be responsible for planning alternative programs that focus on the reduction and prevention of substance abuse. The Addictions/Prevention Counsellor will provide assessment, counseling, support and referral services for the Beausoleil First Nation community. Preference will be given to applicants who are of Aboriginal Descent.

Job Title: ***Addictions/Prevention Counsellor*** (under the National Native Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention Program- NNADAP)

Minimum Qualifications:

- Must have a College Diploma with the emphasis on Health /Social Worker/Addictions field
- Excellent organizational, interpersonal and written skills
- Knowledge of health promotion/community development
- Facilitation Skills for groups and individuals
- Knowledge of addictions therapy/counseling, sexual abuse and family violence
- Strong commitment to community health
- Knowledge of addiction issues in First Nation Communities
- Ability to work in a team setting
- Should be familiar with cultural approaches as well as western approaches to interventions
- Ability to work with clients and community in a sensitive, caring and confidential manner
- Driver's license and access to reliable vehicle
- Successful candidate to supply a current CPIC/VSS
- Must be substance free

Salary: **\$35,000 to \$38,000 as per salary grid**

Duration: Permanent FTE pending successful probationary period

Closing Date: Applications shall be delivered to the front desk receptionist at the Administration Building no later than **August 14, 2017 at 4:30pm**

Hours of Work: 35 hrs per week, with flexible on-call duties

Duties:

- Promote positive lifestyle choices and the prevention of alcohol and substance abuse/addictions through various program initiatives (ie. Education materials, comprehensive school curriculum, workshops, etc.)
- Provide assessment, counseling and support services as required within scope of qualifications and experience (ie. Referrals to treatment, aftercare services, on-on-one counseling)
- Act as a liaison related to program development (ie. Networking, regular health committee meetings, conferences, events).
- Perform all duties related to administration of the program (work-plan development/reporting, submissions, letters, memos, budgets, etc.)

Supervisor: Health Director, Beausoleil Family Health Centre

Applications shall be delivered to the front desk at the Beausoleil First Nation Administration Building. Applications must consist of the following: **Cover letter, current resume, copies of relevant Diploma's/Certificates and at least three employment references.** Your application package must be clearly marked with your name and the position you are applying for. Faxed or e-mailed applications are acceptable, however, applicants selected for an interview must present the original signed letter of application at the interview.

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Thank You To All Who Apply, However Only Those Selected For An Interview Will Be Contacted.