



Southern Stl'at'imx
Health Society

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JOB POSTING: COMMUNITY-BASED SUPPORT WORKER (SKATIN)

Position Title: Community-Based Support Worker

Location: Mount Currie, BC

Type: Part-time

Salary: \$11 000 – \$12 000 (Based on experience)

Position Start Date: As soon as possible

Position End Date: March 31, 2024 (With possibility of extension)

Closing Date: November 14, 2023

About Us: SSSH is a non-profit Indigenous Health Organization dedicated to improving the health and well-being of Indigenous communities. Our organization provides culturally appropriate healthcare services, programs, and initiatives to support the holistic health of Indigenous individuals and families.

Position Overview: The Community-Based Support Worker provides quality programming in a variety of settings in Skatin. Programs include Early Childhood Development Drop-ins and Playgroups, Parent/guardian workshops and Community Events. The Community-Based Support Worker supports children aged 0-6, their families and other staff utilizing a strengths-based approach. The Community-Based Support Worker is responsible for program and theme planning, record keeping and reporting. The position requires travel over rough roads to remote communities to deliver services.

As programs are evolving the Community-Based Support Worker will have the opportunity to have direct influence on the emerging curriculum. Previous experience with utilizing the Ages and Stages Developmental Screening Tool, Moe the Mouse, Seven Sacred Teachings and Kimochis will be considered an asset but are not required.

Job Duties:

- Program planning for Early Childhood Development Drop-ins, Playgroups, and Community Events.
- Responsible for program and theme planning, record keeping and reporting
- Follows the general day to day activities and operations of Drop in/Play group
- Promotes, encourages and assures all ECD programs are implemented and delivered for children and their families
- Participating in apprenticeship/mentorship training with Early Childhood Development (ECD) staff
- Organizing community outings
- Participation in organizing field trips outside of the community
- Participating in Professional Development opportunities
- Maintaining attendance records and anecdotal reports

- Seeking opportunities to continuously improve daily work
- Actively seeking out and supports activities that promote client, staff, visitor and contractor safety.
- Other duties as required

Qualifications:

- Must be a member of one of the four communities served by Southern Stl'atl'imx Health Society (SSHS).
- Valid license to practice, ECE Assistant license to practice and or other related experience
- Skills such as planning, organizing or other related skills
- Has completed facilitator training for the programs being delivered (Mother Goose, Aboriginal PALS, Moe the Mouse etc.)
- Strong communication skills
- Computer skills, including Microsoft Word and Excel.
- Demonstrated cultural competency and sensitivity
- Experience providing relationship-based services
- Ability to work individually and as part of a team
- Flexibility (evening and weekend work may be required)
- Valid Child Safe First Aid/CPR Certificate
- Valid Food Safe Certificate
- Must provide a satisfactory Criminal Records with Vulnerable Sector check.

Special Requirements

- Maintains strict confidentiality in performing the duties of this position and must adhere to the privacy, security and confidentiality policies of SSHS.
- Must adhere to the SSHS Human Resource policies
- This position requires travel to remote Indigenous communities served by SSHS, accessed by Forest Service Roads (FSRs) that require driving on rough gravel roads during all four seasons.
- Applicants not living in the community must have a Valid Driver's License

\$500 Signing bonus

Please submit resume and cover letter by email to Julia Schneider, Executive Assistant, at julia.schneider@sshs.ca. Please include in the subject line your name and the position you are applying for.

Thank you for your interest!