# POSTING



# SHELTER ATTENDANTS NEEDED FOR OVERNIGHT SHIFTS

Casual On-Call - Until March 31, 2019

# **Extreme Weather Response Shelters**

Extreme Weather Shelters located in White Rock, Cloverdale and Ladner operate between November 1<sup>st</sup> and March 31<sup>st</sup> in response to temperatures below 2 Celsius or rain storms/weather warnings. These shelters provide a safe, warm place for homeless individuals to spend the night.

## **KEY DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Working in the Shelter, Attendants will:
  - o maintain safety of the site
  - provide First Aid
  - de-escalate crisis
  - o provide community resources to clients
  - provide meals as needed
  - accept clients into the shelter throughout the night
  - complete wellness checks
- Communicate with Extreme Weather Shelter volunteers at the beginning and end of shifts any necessary information
- Perform other duties necessary for the enhancement of the program as directed by a Shelter/Outreach Worker or supervisor

# QUALIFICATIONS

### Education, Training, and Experience

- Current Level I First Aid certificate required
- Non-Violent Crisis Intervention training required
- Naloxone training required (training can be provided)
- Crisis Line training an asset
- Class 5 B.C. Drivers license and use of a reliable vehicle is required

## Job Skills and Abilities:

- Ability to identify sensitive issues and maintain confidentiality
- Must be sensitive to and respectful of cultural and lifestyle diversity
- Commitment to a problem solving approach

\* An eligibility list will be maintained for up to 6 months.

### **CLOSING DATE:**

MARCH 31, 2019

PLEASE APPLY TO:

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No phone calls please.

Please include a cover letter clearly indicating the posting number [#A21176] and outlining your qualifications and related experience for the position.