POSTING

options COMMUNITY SERVICES

CHILD AND YOUTH CARE COUNSELLOR

Permanent Part Time (28 hours per week)

(Must be available afternoons/evenings)

Special Services to Children and Their Families

The Child and Youth Care Counsellor provides one to one service to children aged 3-18 years who have autism and/or developmental disabilities. The program focuses on community integration, family support, appropriate behaviour and development of communication, social and life skills.

The successful candidate may be offered additional hours in the Private Intervention Program, Empower Program or the Ministry of Children and Family Department Program. The additional hours worked will be paid based on the pay rate structure of those programs.

KEY DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Working with children ages 3-18 who have a developmental disability.
- Responsibility for creating and implementing strategies designed to work toward individual client goals such as the development of social and life skills, communication skills, behaviour management skills and community involvement.
- Responsibility for scheduling, report writing, budgeting.
- Must be able to work in a team setting.
- Lifting/bending may be required.

QUALIFICATIONS
Education, Training, and Experience:

- B.A. and/or combination of experience and education in a related field.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills
- Excellent organizational skills.
- Energy and enthusiasm for working with children who have autism and/or a developmental disability.
- Current First Aid certificate.
- Use of a reliable vehicle for business purposes (business insurance will be required)
- Unrestricted Class 4 License or ability to obtain one within 6 months.
- Fluency in a second language an asset.
- Crisis Line experience an asset.

***** An eligibility list will be maintained for up to 6 months. [Eligible applicants may be offered a casual position].

CLOSING DATE: **Resumes will be reviewed starting [November 28, 2019] but the posting will remain open until filled and will close without notice.**

NOTE: Applicants not selected for an interview will not necessarily be notified.

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PLEASE APPLY TO:

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No phone calls please.

Please include a cover letter clearly indicating the posting number [#A21491] and outlining your qualifications and related experience for the position.