

JOB POSTING - REPOST

SAUGEEN FIRST NATION

General Clinic Nurse

Program: Healthy Babies & Healthy Children

Reports To: Health Director

Term of Employment:

Full-Time

Wage: Hours of Work:

\$24.86 per hr 35 hrs per week

JOB PURPOSE

The General Clinic Nurse is responsible to effectively plan, facilitate, and evaluate a comprehensive Healthy Babies and Healthy Children program for Saugeen First Nation. The program will incorporate the guidelines of the Maternal Child Health program using the wholistic model and will also support the general operation of the Health Centre to also provide nursing support to our physician and will also be responsible for contributing to expanded access to care through development of a nurse clinic.

KEY DUTIES AND ACCOUNTABILITIES

- Case management of pregnant women and families with infants and children aged 0 to 6 years
- Conduct assessments of mothers, infants and young children in relation to growth and development through home visits and clinic visits
- Health promotion related to preconception, prenatal and postnatal health
- Provide education on early identification of risk factors that may affect children's development
- Promote healthy living, family health and early intervention information
- Provide general nursing support to our resident physician (for example: following-up on lab results, charting medications, height, weight and concerns into the medical records system)
- Contribute to expanded access to care through operation of a nursing clinic (for example: suture removal, immunization and allergy injections, point-of-care testing, sexual health clinics)
- Develop educational opportunities for staff and community member's related growth and development of infants and children and related topics.
- Work collaboratively with the Community Health Nurse and Community Health Representative, NNADAP Worker(s) and Outreach Worker(s).
- Work Collaboratively with area hospitals in relation to providing support services to parent(s).
- Distribute Moss bags, baby blanket to new baby and work collaboratively with Elders to provide teachings.
- Provide education and support on FASD and NAS.
- Work collaboratively with other health professionals including the GBHS
- Work collaboratively with ACYPS, Family Wellbeing Worker and Band Representative.

REQUIREMENTS

Education and Experience:

Registered Practical Nursing Diploma

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- Minimum one year experience in community health services, preferably in a First Nation community or setting
- Current registration with the College of Nurses of Ontario and eligible for membership in the Registered Nurses Assn. of Ontario
- Minimum one year experience in maternal health "Well being".

Knowledge, Skills & Abilities:

- Knowledge and ability to educate new parents about healthy living.
- Knowledge and skilled ability to measure healthy growth and development in babies and children.
- Knowledge of Aboriginal culture as asset
- Willing to take continuing education

Designations, Licences & Requirements:

- Current level 'C' CPR and First Aid
- Valid Class "G" driver's license and access to a reliable vehicle
- Clear criminal record check (CPIC)

WORKING CONDITIONS

- 1. Physical Demands Long periods of sitting, standing, typing and some walking. Lifting of some objects not exceeding 10 pounds
- 2. Environment Mainly an office environment and indoor locations with some exposure to outside during travel and events. Minimal exposure to hazardous material (cleaning supplies)
- 3. Mental Effort Quick thinking for frequent handling of difficult situations that some may find stressful and or upsetting. Accuracy of reports and meeting deadlines. Deal with compassion fatigue.
- 4. Position Type/Expected Hours of Work Regular full-time hours with availability for evening and weekend work as required

This job description is intended to convey information essential to understanding the scope of position and it is not intended to be an exhaustive list of experience, skills, efforts, duties, responsibilities or working conditions associated with the position.

DEADLINE DATE: Thursday, December 8th, 2022 @ 4:00 p.m.

(*No Late Applications Accepted*)

Only qualified applicants will be contacted for an interview

Qualified Saugeen First Nation members will be given priority

Successful candidate will be asked to provide a current Criminal Record Check including Vulnerable Sector Screening as a condition of employment

Submission of cover letter, resume and 3 current references to:

Office: Human Resources Dept., (519) 797-1224, Extension 1110

By E-Mail: tina.jacobs@saugeen.org

By Mail: HR Dept., 6 Cameron Drive, Southampton, ON N0H 2L0

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