



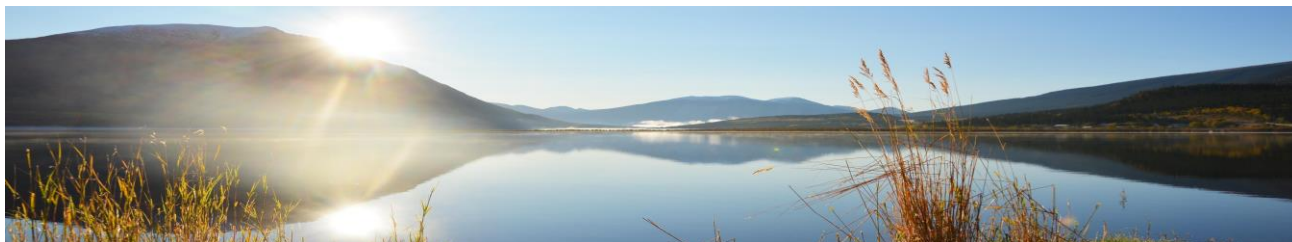
CARCROSS TAGISH FIRST NATION

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Employment Opportunity



Job Title: #24-053 Wellness Counsellor

Department: Health & Wellness

Status: Permanent, Full-time

Salary: \$70,591.57 - \$90,685.90

Closing Date: August 5, 2024

CARCROSS/TAGISH FIRST NATION MISSION STATEMENT

The Carcross/Tagish First Nation is mandated to protect the environment, health and wellness, education and aboriginal rights of our citizens; to continue to preserve and protect our culture, traditions, and languages; to protect and develop our natural resources and strengthen our economy and the Carcross/Tagish First Nation government for our future generations.

JOB SUMMARY

Reporting to the Director of Health and Wellness, the Wellness Counsellor provides counselling services to residents of Carcross and surrounding area.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Provide direct clinical counselling services involving consultation, assessment, and treatment using individual, family and group modalities, often with survivors/victims of physical, sexual and other types of abuse
- Actively participate in regular clinical supervision
- Assess urgency and risk of self harm to self and/or others involved with the client and developing a holistic treatment or management plan
- Collaborate with colleagues, co-workers, other agencies, etc. to support clients
- Organize and/or participate in case conferences, coordinating interdepartmental and inter-agency interventions and where required/requested provide training to other staff and community members
- Maintain confidential records including contact notes, monthly statistics, assessments, intake/closing documents, various consents and confidentiality forms; which may be subject to regular file reviews with supervisor
- Develop reports on community health needs
- Make or facilitate referral to other agencies or services for further assessment, treatment or management
- Adapting clinical or preventative programs to accommodate socio-cultural demographics and resources in Yukon
- Develop innovative treatment or preventative programs to address mental health issues
- Develop, provide or participate in community education activities, including community meetings, workshops and media presentations on mental health issues
- Participate in all events as requested by supervisor to fulfill the mandate of the department (such as health fairs, planning meetings special projects, etc.)

- Managing and maintaining comprehensive client files and records all interactions in case management system (such as ShareVision), that are compliant with all current legislation and policy
- Positively and professionally represents the Health and Wellness Department, and C/TFN with colleagues, citizens and community. Establishes and maintains effective working relationships
- Demonstrates a commitment to personal growth and development to remain current and stay abreast of developments and opportunities and to exchange information
- Assists with reporting obligations related to program funding
- Other related duties

ESSENTIAL QUALIFICATIONS

- Bachelor or Master of Social Work or Psychology Degree (or equivalent work experience in the areas of crisis intervention, trauma counselling, or psychology)
- Experience dealing with issues pertaining to the protection of children and families,
- Experience with several treatment modalities (family systems therapy, group and individual therapy)
- Knowledge of mental health disorders, classification and diagnosis,
- Knowledge of Yukon First Nations history with Residential Schools, loss of culture and community healing,

DESIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS & SUITABILITY

- Experience working with First Nations,
- Knowledge of current trends, developments and issues in mental health services and programming including assessment, interventions and support services,
- Ability to design and deliver individual and group treatment programs for a wide range of mental health and trauma issues,
- Ability to work as a member of a multidisciplinary healing program and make appropriate use of other community resources.
- Maintain professional competency on an ongoing basis by continued readings (professional journals, self-directed study), attending conferences/courses, etc.
- Competency working with computers and Microsoft Office Suite.

CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT

- Obtain and maintain registration with a regulatory body of competent jurisdiction to the modalities used in session (proof of registration must be confirmed within three months of hire)
- Maintain the strictest of confidentiality at all times
- Sign and abide by the C/TFN Code of Ethics
- Valid Class 5 Yukon Drivers' License

We encourage all qualified candidates to apply. However, preference will be given to C/TFN Citizens, associate members and indigenous candidates.

We thank all those who apply and advise that only those selected for further consideration will be contacted.

Please Note:

- **No relocation costs are associated with the position.**
- **PLEASE QUOTE THE COMPETITION NUMBER & TITLE ON YOUR APPLICATION WHEN APPLYING.**

APPLICATIONS/RESUMES MUST BE RECEIVED BY 11:59PM ON THE CLOSING DATE.

Apply to: humanresources@CTFN.ca