

JOB OPPORTUNITY

Home Visitor

1 Full-time position and 1 Term (6 months)

Maternal Child Health (MCH) Program

Sagkeeng Health Centre

MCH Home Visitor Description

A Home Visitor is responsible for providing supportive home visitation for pregnant women and families with infants and young children (ages 0-6) that encourages the growth of nurturing, responsive parent-child relationships, provides linkages with community resources and promotes healthy childhood growth and development.

DUTIES:

- Providing home visits, group sessions and various health promotion activities in accordance with the MCH-Strengthening Families mandate;
- Assisting in coordinating and organizing regular & special activities including workshops, presentations and displays;
- Scheduling regular home visits to families in the program;
- Assisting in promotion of breast feeding and supporting mother and family while breast feeding;
- Assisting in conducting developmental screening, physical exams, and pre and postnatal screening exams on mothers, infants, toddlers and children;
- Coordinate referrals to programs & resources within and outside the community;
- Attending regular staff meetings and nurse supervision meetings for purpose of reviewing families, exchanging information on participant services, planning program activities and for all other program related communications;
- Keeping current on new health trends and developments by accessing and reading relevant literature, attending seminars, workshops, and conferences;
- Participating in community health promotion activities by assisting in the development of relevant health educational materials for identified target groups and for the community.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Minimum Grade 12 education or equivalent
- Post-secondary certificate or diploma in relevant field considered an asset
- Computer literate
- Experience in caring for infants & young children
- Previous parenting classes and/or training an asset
- Basic breast feeding knowledge & willingness to obtain training
- Minimum Class V Driver's License and access to personal vehicle
- First Aid/CPR is an asset
- Strong communication skills, interpersonal skills, leadership skills, teamwork attributes and cultural sensitivity
- Knowledge and awareness of First Nations culture
- A combination of education, training, and experience will be considered
- Preference will be given to applicants of Aboriginal / First Nations ancestry particularly members of Sagkeeng First Nation.



APPLICATION DEADLINE:
September 25, 2020

Interested applicants must submit:

- a cover letter / resume,
- Criminal Records and Vulnerable Sectors Check
- Child Abuse Registry (or proof of application)
- Photocopy of driver's license

Attention to:

S.E.T.S.

**Box 8, Fort Alexander, MB
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Attention:
Home Visitor Competition

Cover letters and résumés must indicate how the applicant meets the qualifications for the position and can be mailed to the above address or emailed to jobs@sagkeeng.ca,

LATE SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES

Please be advised that only those selected for an interview will be contacted
PLEASE NOTE: Applicants without current/updated contact information may be removed from the competition.