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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY
Indigenous Knowledge Carrier
LONDON, ON

Posting Date: July 5, 2019

AtlohSA Family Healing Services in partnership with St. Joseph's Health Care - Parkwood Institute, co-lead the Biigajiisakaan: Indigenous Pathways to Mental Wellness program and are seeking a motivated and knowledgeable individual to fill the role of an *Indigenous Knowledge Carrier*. As Indigenous Knowledge Carrier, you will fulfil the role of a respected wisdom holder of traditional Indigenous Knowledge willing to share your expertise in a positive team environment serving those in our community who seek to achieve holistic wellness in and out of a hospital setting.

Role and Responsibility

With the mandate to deliver a culturally founded program, the Indigenous Knowledge Carrier will be involved in all aspects of the Biigajiisakaan program inclusive of lending wisdom to program design, planning, implementation, monitoring and evaluation. The primary role of the Indigenous Knowledge Carrier is to facilitate Indigenous knowledge translation throughout the Biigajiisakaan program continuum. This role includes:

- providing culturally appropriate guidance to the program team
- counseling services to community members
- facilitation of culturally based practices and interventions
- providing referral to cultural based practices
- development of culturally based resources
- training of program staff as well as partners

Suitability

The ideal candidate for Indigenous Knowledge Carrier is a respected individual known to their community of origin and/or practice as someone who employs Indigenous life way practices. The candidate will have the ability to understand their Indigenous language and speak at least at a partial fluency, suitable for the facilitation of cultural based practices. The candidate will possess a profound understanding of their creation story and will possess the ability to facilitate knowledge translation and create understanding of Indigenous ways of being from the foundation of such wisdom. **It is recognized that suitable individuals might practice an inherent understanding of humility and consequently may not apply to this posting; therefore, referrals of appropriate candidates from the community (with contact information) may be accepted.**

EMPLOYEMENT TERM: Part-Time (20 hours/week) Contract to March 31, 2021.

REMUNERATION: Competitive compensation and benefits package based on qualifications

CLOSING DATE: Friday, July 26, 2019 at 5 pm

Please submit a cover letter and resume or referral to:

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Full Job Description Available Upon Request. We thank all those who apply however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.