

Employment Opportunity Mental Health and Addictions Support Worker

Job Summary

As part of the Collaborative Care Team, assist in the delivery of services to clients through an integrative health approach. As a community advocate and front-line worker, the mental health and addictions support worker provides supportive care to individual members and their families through brief counselling and referral services; provides education on drugs, alcohol and mental health conditions; promotes healthy lifestyles and assists clients in the development of life skills.

Job Duties

- a. Assist the Collaborative Care Team in the provision of supportive services for the community, clients and their families who are at risk for, or are seriously affected by, mental health and/or substance abuse issues.
- b. Facilitate the use of community services and resources, provide information on community services, and liaise with mental health, addictions, medical and other professionals and agencies.
- c. Participate in ongoing team work which includes assisting with intake and care planning process
- d. Assist clients in the development of life skills and healthy lifestyles
- e. Ensure clients attend appointments and groups as per care plans and assist with the arrangement of transportation as needed.

Qualifications:

a. Education and Experience:

- As a minimum, secondary school diploma is required
- Mental Health / Addictions Certification recommended
- Minimum of two years' recent work experience in the mental health and/or addictions field
- Experience working in First Nations communities

b. Required Knowledge, Abilities and Skills:

- Excellent computer skills (Microsoft office Pro), ability to use other office equipment
- Familiarity with third party benefit programs such as Non-Insured Health Benefits an asset

Application:

- a. Your application must include a cover letter, resume, & three letters of reference in order for you to be considered for an interview.
- b. Please submit your complete application as described above to:
Health Director
Kettle & Stony Point Health Services, 6275 Indian Lane, Kettle & Stony Point First Nation, Ontario, N0N 1J1
Fax: 519-786-4541
- c. **Deadline: All applications must be received by 4:00 pm on Tuesday, June 19, 2018**

Chippewas of Kettle & Stony Point First Nation gives preference to First Nation applicants for employment opportunities as per Section 16(1) of the Canadian Human Rights Act.

Only candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.

The successful candidate must provide a Police Record Check (C.P.I.C-Vulnerable Sector) and be willing to sign a background consent form.