

POSTING



FAMILY THERAPIST

Temporary Full-time (35 hours per week) until March 31, 2018
Must be available to work Saturday (during the day)

Family Counselling Program

This position requires Union membership. Compensation is in accordance with Appendix A of the BCGEU Collective Agreement. This position is open to male and female applicants.

Options Community Services is seeking a temporary full-time Family Therapist for its Family Counselling Program. The primary responsibilities will be to provide intake assessment and short-term strengths-based counselling to individuals, couples and families (including children and youth) referred by the Ministry of Child and Family Development (MCFD).

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Master's degree in Counselling Psychology or Social Work, or equivalent with at least two years recent related experience or an equivalent combination of education, training and experience is required.
- Training in DBT and experience with group facilitation required.

SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

- Experience working specifically with complex and multi-issue families. Candidates should possess extensive knowledge and experience working from a family systems therapy approach.
- Training in a repertoire of approaches/modalities for working with families and individuals across ages and life stages (e.g. expressive therapies, CBT, EMDR, trauma-focused methods, brief solution-focused therapy) is an asset.
- Must be able to convey an understanding of theoretical and conceptual principles as applied to particular client problems.
- Ability to work independently and as a member of a professional team.
- Current Level I First Aid and a second language are considered assets.
- Crisis Line experience is an asset.

* An eligibility list will be maintained for up to 6 months.

CLOSING DATE: August 25, 2017

PLEASE APPLY TO: Nancy Orlikow, Senior Manager
Options Community Services Society

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Please include a cover letter clearly indicating the posting number A20960 and outlining your qualifications and related experience for the position.

NOTE: Applicants not selected for an interview will not necessarily be notified.
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