

POSTING

FAMILY STRENGTHENING AND DEVELOPMENT COUNSELLOR (OUTREACH)

Temporary Full-time (35 hours per week) until November 30, 2018

Family Strengthening and Development Program

The Family Strengthening and Development program engages families in short-term, goal focused interventions to assist families who are in immediate crisis and at risk of abusing or neglecting their children, to learn and apply new appropriate strategies to manage their family and practical needs.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Degree in human services or relevant combination of education and experience
- Current First Aid certificate
- Valid unrestricted Class 5 driver's license and satisfactory driving record
- No relevant criminal history

The preferred candidate will have:

- knowledge of human services resources in the Surrey area
- solution focused experience/training
- lay counseling and teaching skills/training
- experience with or a working understanding of Strength and Needs Assessment tool
- knowledge/experience with child protection issues
- demonstrated communication, problem solving and conflict resolution skills
- use of a reliable vehicle (for outreach and transporting clients)
- the ability to do light lifting/bending
- the ability to speak/understand Punjabi (an asset)
- Crisis Line experience (an asset)

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

CLOSING DATE: November 24, 2017

PLEASE APPLY TO: Purn Disanjh, Program Manager
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No phone calls please.

Please include a cover letter clearly indicating the posting number A21011 and outlining your qualifications and related experience for the position.