



Job Posting
Scw'exmx Child & Family Services Society
(1) Full-time Aboriginal Child and Youth Mental Health Clinician

Scw'exmx Child and Family Services Society (SCFSS) is seeking a highly motivated and dynamic individual to join our team as an Aboriginal Child and Youth Mental Health (ACYMH) Clinician. As an integral member of a multi-disciplinary team, the Clinician will provide culturally appropriate services and information which enhance the relationships and wellness of children and families who are experiencing significant challenges, in the Merritt area.

The position is under the direct supervision of the Executive Director. Evening and weekend work as required.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Connects and collaborates with appropriate referral sources
- Conduct intakes
- Conduct mental health assessments and develop assessment reports
- Conduct provisional DSM diagnosis
- Develop and execute treatment plans
- Maintain appropriate Clinical and administrative records

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

- Awareness of First Nations culture and issues affecting First Nations families and communities
- Develop and maintain working knowledge and relationships with natural partners and supports in the communities
- Demonstrated expertise and knowledge in Clinical Mental Health assessment, diagnosis and treatment
- Ability to conduct suicide assessments and assist with crisis interventions
- Comfortable with conducting both Psycho-educational and treatment focused group sessions to various ages
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE:

- Master's Degree in Social Work, Educational Counselling, Clinical Psychology, Child and Youth Care, or comparable degree with strong clinical skills
- Education in DSM diagnosis and related treatments for common Mental Health challenges
- Registered with a professional association
- Related experience with responsibility for providing mental health services to children and families
- Experience working with Aboriginal communities
- A valid BC class 5 driver's license and criminal record check are mandatory

Start Date: ASAP As Needed

Pay: Rate will be negotiated based on experience

Those who are shortlisted will be invited for an interview

For full job description contact SCFSS.

Apply by submitting your cover letter and resume by E-mail

Attn: Yvonne Hare, Executive Director

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Scw'exmx Child & Family Services Society thanks all those who apply, however, only qualified candidates will be contacted for an interview.