

# De dwa da dehs nye>s Aboriginal Health Centre

We're Taking Care of Each Other Amongst Ourselves.

### Our Mission:

Improving the health and well-being of Indigenous individuals, families and communities through wholistic Indigenous, Traditional and Western health care.

## **INTERESTED APPLICANTS**

Please submit your resume and cover letter to: humanresources@dahac.ca or Attention: Human Resources Aboriginal Health Centre

678 Main Street East Hamilton ON L8M 1K2

Nya:weh / Miigwetch to all applicants

Only those selected for interviews will be contacted

## Deadline to Apply: Open until Filled

Please note that **ONLY** complete applications with cover letter will be considered.

Preference is given to candidates of Indigenous Decent.

## Adult Mental Health Outreach Worker–Hamilton/Brantford (FT Contract – 6 mths)

Reports to the Mental Health & Addictions Manager and Team Leads Salary Range: \$48,000 - \$50,000

## INTRODUCTION:

The MH Adult Outreach Worker will provide case management supports for adults ages 18+ experiencing mental health and addictions issues to access other health and wellness services. This role will work with both western and Indigenous services providers to help adults, caregivers, and their families to better navigate mental health and addictions services and manage mental health and addictions issues; all working towards improving patient outcomes.

## Required Knowledge, Skills, and Ability

- Knowledge and ability to integrate wholistic, strength and evidence-based practice into the planning and evaluation of client and program intervention from a trauma informed lens
- Experience in mental health and substance use treatment planning; therapeutic interventions, life skills training, coaching, advocacy and support to clients and their caregivers/family
- Knowledge of community resources, specifically Indigenous programs and services in Hamilton and surrounding area;
- Knowledge of Indigenous cultures, customs, and traditions; history of colonization and intergenerational traumas impacting the health and wellness of Indigenous Peoples.
- Knowledge of mental health and addictions counselling models, techniques, modalities, and approaches.
- Knowledge and understanding of pathways of care for various mental health and addictions issues.
- Ability to work independently, as well as part of a team.
- Possess excellent time management, organization, and communication skills.

## STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS:

 Post secondary degree or diploma in social work, psychology, &/or concurrent disorders or related field

In addition to requirements for the position, the ideal candidate would also possess some of the following qualifications:

- 1+ years' experience working with individuals with complex needs.
- Experience working with and extensive knowledge of Indigenous Peoples language, culture, customs, and traditions.

#### 100% Organization Paid Benefits

- Health Benefits
- Employee Life AD&D Insurance
- Business Travel Life and Disability Insurance
  Dependent Life Insurance
- Employee Critical Illness Insurance
  Travel Accident Insurance
- Long Term (LTD) Benefit

- Retirement Benefits
- Hospitals of Ontario Pension Plan (HOOP) with Immediate Eligibility