

Hamilton Regional Indian Centre External Employment Opportunity Posted until filled

The Hamilton Regional Indian Centre is currently accepting applications for the position of **Indigenous Drug and Alcohol Program Coordinator**.

The Hamilton Regional Indian Centre (HRIC) is a large Indigenous not for profit organization. We are culturally based, community focused, and committed to driving positive change for the community. As a staff member of HRIC you will have opportunity for professional growth, access to Elders and Traditional Knowledge Keepers, and a generous benefit package. We strive to uphold pre-colonial management and policy structure, while being supportive and maintaining a positive work atmosphere.

The Drug and Alcohol Program Coordinator under the direction of the Executive Director or Designate will ensure the development, implementation, and stability of the Indigenous Drug and Alcohol program, by meeting the local area drug and alcohol program promotion, prevention, and treatment needs.

Job Requirements:

- 2-year College diploma in Indigenous Studies, Social Service work or a combination of relevant education and experience;
- 2-years' experience working in the field of addictions;
- Experience working in an Indigenous organization;
- Experience in program planning, development, implementation, facilitation, data collection and evaluation;
- Experience with case management;
- Knowledge of the importance of First Nations Language and Culture Traditions;
- Demonstrated ability to work collaboratively within the community and with a team of service providers;
- Awareness of Indigenous culture and history, with particular emphasis on the impacts of trauma;
- Demonstrated ability to build and maintain lasting working relationships;
- Ability to work flexible hours including some evenings and weekends;
- Proficiency in MS Office applications and other database applications- statistical and narrative reporting;
- First Aid/CPR and non-violent crisis intervention certification or be willing to be certified is an asset:
- Valid driver's licence with clear driving record is an asset; and,
- Must have or obtain, within 30 days of hiring date, a clean Criminal Record and Judicial Matters (CPIC) check with Vulnerable Sector Search (VSS) as a condition of the employment offer.

Hours of Operation: Monday to Friday 9am to 8pm (8-hour shifts within these hours of operation), occasional evenings/weekends

SALARY: \$51,841.00/ per annum



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HRIC is a highly flexible organization offering additional compensation including 5 paid cultural days, 4 paid holidays beyond mandatory Employment Standards, paid shutdown over the winter holiday week, and health benefits. HRIC health benefits are offered to full time permanent employees, employees will be able to enroll upon the successful completion of their (3) three-month probationary period.

HRIC is committed to providing a barrier-free work environment in concert with the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act and the Ontario Human Rights Code. As such, Hamilton Regional Indian Centre will make accommodations available to applicants with disabilities upon request during the recruitment process.

HRIC strives to ensure that its employment practices are free from direct and indirect discrimination and is committed to upholding the human rights of those participating in the hiring process. In pursuit of this commitment, Hamilton Regional Indian Centre will not condone or tolerate any acts of discrimination or harassment under any of the grounds protected under human rights legislation. This commitment extends to the hiring process and throughout the course of employment.

Since this position is engaged primarily in serving the interests of Indigenous people, HRIC shall give preference to Indigenous people who possess the requisite skill sets and experience.

Please submit a cover letter, resume, 3 references to <u>jobs@hric.ca</u> or in an envelope marked **CONFIDENTIAL** to:

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