



WALPOLE ISLAND FIRST NATION EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Job Title: Family Support Worker
Department: Enodmaagejig Social Services
Status: Full-time Contract *Maternity Leave*
Closing Date: Wednesday September 18, 2019

Position:

Under the supervision of the Child & Youth Services Team Leader, the Family Support Worker is responsible for the provision of prevention and limited intervention in the service of clients/families that are referred for service while following relevant Federal and Provincial legislation. This position will fulfil the Child & Youth Services Unit mandate, while abiding by Walpole Island First Nation policies and procedures.

Requirements:

- Grade 12 or equivalent and a minimum of a Post-secondary Education diploma in Social Service Work
- First Aid and CPR certificates or willingness to obtain
- Must possess a valid Ontario Driver's License and dependable transportation
- Minimum of two (2) years' experience working with young people and families
- Experience working with/for a First Nations community
- Will be subject to a Criminal Records Check

Responsibilities:

- Acts as a liaison between CAS and community members, to ensure appropriate provision of service
- Provides community members with child welfare information to ensure they have appropriate knowledge available for decision-making
- Provides support to clients and families as appropriate under program mandate
- Facilitate customary care agreements between parents and caregivers within the community.
- Conduct crisis intervention, as needed, with community members experiencing child welfare/child care/behaviour difficulties

How to Apply:

Please submit your resume and cover letter describing qualifications above to:

Walpole Island First Nation
Human Resources
Mail: 117 Tahgahoning Rd,
Wallaceburg, ON
N8A 4K9
or
Fax: 519-627-5915
or
Email: Careers@wifn.org

We are a special interest organization that is primarily engaged in serving the interest of the Walpole Island First Nation community, preference will be given to persons of Native ancestry. (OHRA 1981, c53, s170)
Qualified Band Members are to be given PRIORITY. (R.C.M. April 28, 1998 M#15)