



Child & Youth Worker

The Jerome D. Diamond (JDD) Adolescent Centre, a branch of Jewish Family & Child is looking for a **Child & Youth Worker**. The JDD Adolescent Centre is a children's mental health centre that provides support to youth with educational, emotional and/or behavioural challenges. This is a five (5) day per week position for the school year (10 months). CYWs do not work in July & August.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- ❖ Provide direct treatment counselling support and relevant programming services to clients on a daily basis in conjunction with the JDD team
- ❖ Develop, implement, review and monitor treatment plans for the youth in conjunction with the team and family
- ❖ Inform Manager, JDD of matters of interest and concern in regard to service to individual clients, program delivery, team functioning, Agency and community matters
- ❖ Attend and participate in weekly Team Meetings, Progress reviews, conferences and other meetings
- ❖ Coordinate, promote and run special events (religious observances, Awards and Recognition Day, etc.) as they come up
- ❖ Participate in activity/recreation based programming, physical and educational classes as needed.
- ❖ Maintain accurate and timely client related documentation for internal and external record keeping in accordance with professional standards, the Agency and Day Treatment Policy
- ❖ Liaise, communicate and coordinate a collaborative working relationship with internal and external professionals
- ❖ Ability to work effectively in a multi-disciplinary team
- ❖ Develop an understanding and commitment to the Agency's PQI and Research and Evaluation program
- ❖ Perform other duties as assigned

QUALIFICATIONS:

- ❖ CYW or equivalent post-secondary diploma/degree
- ❖ Minimum 3 years CYW experience in a Day Treatment Program
- ❖ Knowledge of community needs and resources
- ❖ Good judgment, initiative and resourcefulness are required
- ❖ Flexibility and ability to respond to changing circumstances and organizational needs
- ❖ Ability to establish rapport, credibility and build strong relationship with clients and colleagues

If you are interested in applying for this position, please submit your cover letter and résumé to resumes@jfandcs.com.

In the subject line of your email, please reference Child & Youth Worker. This position will remain active until it is filled.

JF&CS offers a competitive compensation and benefits package including dental, vision, and health coverage, a Healthcare Spending Account and a defined benefit pension plan.

JF&CS offers a generous number of vacation and sick days and are closed on most Jewish and all Statutory Holidays.

The JDD is conveniently located at 196 Keewatin Ave in Toronto. On the premises you will find free parking.

Jewish Family & Child is committed to the principle of equal opportunity employment. Accommodations during all phases of the hire process will be made wherever possible. Please advise us if any accommodations are required.

We thank all applicants for their interest; however, only those considered for an interview will be contacted.

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