

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY FOSTER CARE RESOURCE WORKER

Internal and External Posting

Kina Gbezhgomi Child and Family Services is currently accepting applications for a **Family Resource Worker**. The position is full time for a six-month contract with the possibility of an extension. The position is within our Foster Care Team based out of our offices in Wiikwemkoong.

Reporting to the Foster Care Supervisor, the Foster Care Resource Worker is responsible for the delivery of the Foster Care Program. Key to program delivery is the implementation be in a manner based on the unity, traditions, values, beliefs and customs of the First Nations serviced by the Agency; and, per the funding agreements and the First Nations' standards.

Qualifications

Education and Experience

- o Preferred education is a Bachelor of Social Work Degree.
- Minimum is a Social Services Diploma or Native Child and Family Worker Diploma with at least two
 (2) years direct experience in child welfare.
- Management experience preferred.

Knowledge & Skills

- Must be willing to participate in the activities, events and circles for the acquisition of cultural competence.
- o Must have working knowledge of Anishinaabe culture, customs, traditions and practices.
- Active participation in the Anishinaabe communities with building knowledge of the teachings from the medicine wheel acquired through personal learning journey will be of significant consideration.
- Ability to interpret, apply and blend a wide range of Social Work practices and principles and Anishinaabe methods to help children, youth and families achieve a healthier lifestyle.
- Proven knowledge of First Nation communities' standards, the Child and Family Services Act and other relevant federal and provincial legislation.

PLEASE REVIEW THE FULL JOB DESCRIPTION AND QUALIFICATIONS, VISIT OUR WEBSITE www.kgcfs.org/employment

DEADLINE: OCTOBER 11, 2018 @ 10:00 am

Cover letter, resumes and references can be sent to:

Attention: Human Resources (Confidential)
Kina Gbezhgomi Child and Family Services
98 Pottawatomi Avenue (Main Office)
Wiikwemkoong, Ontario POP 2JO

OR

By Fax: 705-859-2195 (Main Office) or By Email: hr@kgcfs.org

KGCFS services are highly specialized in the approach to the delivery of Anishinaabe child welfare in our area, preference will be given to Anishinabek candidates (please self-identify). Miigwetch for your interest, we will only contact those candidates selected for an interview. The successful candidate(s) will be required to submit the following: Police Vulnerable Sector Check, Driver's Abstract and Valid G Driver's License.