

JOB POSTING # 3-2021

Child Protection Worker Up to 1-year contract positions (2)

Reports to: Child Welfare Supervisor

Term: Up to 1 (one) year contract

Position Summary:

The Child Protection Worker assumes the full range of Child Protection case management responsibilities, this may include investigation assessment and ongoing protection services. This includes ongoing risk assessments, conducting new investigations, determining risk reduction and treatment plans, counselling children and families at risk, managing cases through the court process, developing service and permanency plans for children in care and working with residential resources. **Department assignment to be determined.**

Responsibilities include:

- Provide child protection services consistent with the overall direction provided by the Supervisor, the requirements of the Child, Youth and Family Services Act and its regulations, Ministry requirements and the Society's policies and procedures
- Initiate and prepare court documentation and give evidence in court to support child protection plan
- Identify, assess risk to children and develop intervention plans to reduce the conditions contributing to risk
- Provide emergency admission of children to care when required and assess the suitability of potential placements for children in conjunction with the Resources Department
- Provide ongoing support and counseling to children and families
- Ensure coordination of their duties and effective communication with staff, clients and collaterals

Knowledge & Skills include:

- Excellent verbal, written and listening communication skills
- The ability to work well in a crisis and under pressure
- Demonstrated computer literacy according to job requirements

Qualifications:

- B.S.W. or M.S.W. from a University of recognized standing, or equivalent as deemed suitable by the Executive Director
- Preference will be given to Child Protection Workers who are deemed to be "Authorized" and/or have completed The New Pathway to Authorization training program and passed the Authorization Candidacy Exam (ACE)
- Must have a valid Ontario "G" class driver's license and reliable vehicle.

Salary:	In accordance with the Collective Agreement - \$58,527 - \$82,210
Start Date:	To be determined

Applications, including covering letter and resume, should be forwarded to: <u>Employment.Opportunities@cashn.on.ca</u>

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