

Dufferin Child and Family Services is a multi-service agency providing Children's Mental Health, Child Protection and Developmental Support.

## The agency currently requires: 2 - Permanent Full Time – ABA Therapists (Urgent Response Team)

You are seeking:

- A dynamic professional opportunity to provide support under the supervision of a Board Certified Behaviour Analyst (BCBA), the ABA therapist will work directly with young children who have Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) and deliver Applied Behaviour Analysis (ABA) based services and supports
- A challenging role that offers flexibility, learning opportunities and work within a multidisciplinary team.
- A unique opportunity to work in a progressive, multi-service agency in collaboration with community partners.

<u>We</u> are seeking an innovative individual with experience working with children and youth with complex behaviour and mental health needs.

The preferred candidate has experience working with youth with ASD in a caregiver mediated model of intervention.

- Provides 1-1 intervention in the home or centre
- Completes all documentation and reports as required
- Prepares/documents on data sheet/monthly reports as directed
- Administers assessment tools as required
- Provides caregiver coaching as required
- Interacts and coaches families as per the therapy/treatment plan and schedule
- Reports any serious occurrences to the BCBA
- Maintains the confidentiality of all client information in accordance with agency policy and procedures
- Experience and comfort in working with children and youth engaging in complex problem behaviour
- Experience and/or training in implementing Skills Based Treatment (SBT) is an asset
- Experience working with youth with multiple diagnosis in addition to ASD is an asset
- Experience and/or training with AIM (Accept Identify Move)/ ACT (Acceptance & Commitment Therapy) curriculum is an asset
- Preferred Diploma in Autism Behavioural Sciences or related field, with a three-year college diploma

If you are interested in this job opportunity, please apply by email to <u>hr@dcafs.on.ca</u> quoting reference number 2023 - 007

As an employer committed to employment equity and accessibility for persons with disabilities, we encourage applications from members of equity-seeking communities including racialized and Indigenous persons, persons with disabilities, women, and persons of all sexual orientations and gender identities/expressions. Our hiring framework is founded in equity, truth and reconciliation, anti-black racism, and anti-oppressive practices.

DCAFS is committed to providing a recruitment and selection process that is both inclusive and free from barriers. Accommodations for job applicants with disabilities are available upon request and will be provided in accordance with the **Ontario Human Rights Code** and the **Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act**.

DCAFS requires all employees, contractors, students, and volunteers to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19, absent of a valid medical exemption.

Thank you for your interest; however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

Role Location: Orangeville, Ontario Hours of Work: 33 hours per week