

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY Internal/External Posting

Mental Health Supervisor

Chatham-Kent Children's Services serves the children and families of the Chatham-Kent Municipality and includes child protection, children's mental health, child development and prevention.

Chatham-Kent Children's Services is an accredited multi-service agency that responds to the unique dynamics of our families. We support the well-being and safety of our children and their families through evidence-based practices and collaboration with community partners. Together, CKCS' employees strive to foster an environment that encourages positive growth, professional development and progressive change.

Chatham-Kent has a population in excess of 110,000 and is ideally situated mid-way between Windsor and London on the shores of Lake Erie.

Strengthening Children and Families Chatham-Kent Children's Service requires a **Mental Health Supervisor** available to start at the end of February or early March 2019. This is a permanent full-time position.

The successful candidate will be responsible for coordination and clinical supervision/ direction of a team of staff who deliver mental health clinical services including crisis counselling, intake and screening, brief services, in home family intervention, service coordination, Section 23 Classroom CYW's, School Community Integrated Partnership Staff (SCIP), mental health assessment in the CKHA Emergency Department, long term mental health, and Hope Housing.

Major responsibilities (may include but are not limited to):

- Provide clinical supervision/direction and responsible for assessing and prioritizing non protection referrals, intake and service coordination, brief services, short-term counselling, long term mental health, in home family intervention, the CYW staff placed in the Section 23 Classrooms and the Hope Housing supportive staff;
- Assign cases, ensure prompt development of service/treatment plans, ensure effective case management and clinical intervention;
- Advise and guide workers in all aspects of planning, organization and delivery of services to children and consult or provide direction on serious or contentious issues;
- Review and approve all case recordings by workers, ensuring completion in accordance with Agency policy, professional standards and Agency and Ministry requirements;
- Represent the Agency in the community by:
 - Promoting Agency services, making presentations to community groups, participation on community committees and maintaining good public relations for the Agency.

Hours of Work:

- Monday Friday: 70 hours bi-weekly;
- Plus occasional on-call hours for after-hours supervision

Qualifications: Master's degree in Social Work or related discipline; a minimum of 5 years clinical experience; must be eligible for registration with a relevant professional college; proven ability and willingness to work as an integral member of a team; proven crisis intervention skills; excellent oral and written communication skills; knowledge of a variety of management theories; strong time management skills; excellent leadership skills; computer literate; ability to communicate in French is an asset; valid driver's license and use of a personal vehicle.

Please submit a Cover Letter and Resume by 4:30 pm on Friday, January 25, 2019 quoting the posting reference (2019-01) to hr@ckcs.on.ca

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

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