



Ne-Chee Friendship Centre

**requires a
YOUTH LIFE PROMOTION PROGRAM COORDINATOR**

Ne-Chee Friendship Centre requires an enthusiastic, energetic individual to deliver its **'Youth Life Promotion Program'**.

Responsibilities:

- To support youth ages 13-24 by providing participant-based and one-to-one services
- Work with Elders, Traditional Knowledge Keepers and youth to co-develop and implement Youth Culture Camps
- Facilitate traditional knowledge transfer, specifically on traditional teachings, language reclamation and food education
- Facilitate sharing circles that include formative teaching and discussion opportunities
- Provide transmission of cultural knowledge through story-telling, traditional teachings and peer-based activities
- Support the creation and development of programming for Two-Spirited and Indigenous LGBTQ+ youth

Qualifications:

- Possess a post-secondary education in Indigenous studies, social work, child and youth work or combination of the equivalent and relevant education
- Demonstrated and related work experience with children and youth
- Strong knowledge and awareness of Indigenous cultures, histories and the impacts of colonization
- Knowledge and understanding of Indigenous youth engagement and community outreach tools
- Knowledge of traditional teachings, particularly in the areas of water and land-based activities, traditional medicines, language reclamation and food education
- Ability to work professionally and collaboratively with child welfare agencies in Ontario
- Strong understanding of the Child and Family Services Act and Ontario Children's aid Societies with particular emphasis of impact on Indigenous families
- Excellent communication skills both written & verbal; proficient in offering presentations
- Positive attitude & demonstrated capacity to act as a healthy lifestyle role model
- Must possess a valid driver's license with a clean driving record and access to a reliable vehicle
- Able to work flexible hours including weekends & evenings
- First Aid/CPR training definite asset; Working knowledge of computers

SALARY: \$46,500.00 to \$48,000.00 Annually to start Comprehensive benefit package including a pension plan

*** A Current Vulnerable Persons Check will be required upon offer of employment**

Preference will be given to Indigenous applicants. Please self-identify upon applying

DEADLINE: OPEN UNTIL FILLED

Please submit your **resume** along with a **cover letter** to: **Ne-Chee Friendship Centre** 326 2nd Street South, Kenora, ON P9N 1G5 Fax: (807) 468-5340 E-Mail: criminalcourtwork@nechee.org

We wish to thank all applicants, however, only those selected for an interview will be acknowledged.