



Youville Centre is a not-for-profit, community health centre located on Treaty One territory, in the heart of the Métis Nation, in Winnipeg, MB. Youville sites provide a place where individuals and families can work on their health and wellbeing with health and social service professionals. Youville focuses on the strengths and gifts, as well as the needs of the community, striving for the most person-centered, effective and caring delivery of its services and programs.

Huddle South Central is a safe space for youth, with all the benefits of a medical clinic, counselling office, and plenty of other free resources for Manitobans ages 12–29 and is located on Treaty One territory, in the heart of the Métis Nation, in Winnipeg MB

In partnership with Centre de santé, Aulneau Renewal Centre, Marymount, Sara Riel and Teen Stop Jeunesse, Youville Clinic is the lead organization for Huddle South Central.

Coordinator for Community Outreach, Resources and Engagement – 12 month Term

Hours - 1.0 EFT - 72.5 hours bi-weekly

Hourly Wage - \$31.24 to \$38.74

SUMMARY OF POSITION

- An independent practitioner working as part of a multi-disciplinary team, who plays a key role in improving access to food resources, basic needs, and creating doorways to primary care and social service supports through outreach, engagement and building trusting relationships with community and key partners.
- Grounded in person-centered, anti-oppressive, culturally safe and social justice-oriented practice, the individual creates and maintains a safe and welcoming environment/points of contact for the people we serve.
- Develops, grows, implements and advocates for outreach, integration and coordination of services across organizational sites to efficiently and effectively meet the needs of those we are serving - where they require the services.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

Outreach Programming and Supports

- Coordinate and carry out food security programming (pantry) programming, including coordination of all food pick up and distribution of food to all 3 Youville sites and partners.
- Support and coordinate (where necessary) individualized care plans addressing short-term and long-term goals in collaboration with participants, interdisciplinary team members and external partners as they relate to food security.
- Maintain a high level of knowledge and awareness of community resources including additional food security resources, shelter and supports for youth and adults.
- Support the implementation of the outreach walks – At Huddle South Central and lead the development of an outreach walk within the St Vital and surrounding community.
- Build relationships and partnerships with other agencies, programs, companies, businesses and organizations within the systems of health and social services to strengthen outreach and engagement efforts.
- Assist in building infrastructure within Youville to sustain outreach and engagement activities.

Crisis-Intervention and De-Escalation

- Integrate trauma-informed/healing centred principles and strategies in preventing and diffusing situations
- Create and facilitate a calm, compassionate environment for those experiencing distress.
- Evaluate immediate safety risks, de-escalate and diffuse conflict in an assertive, timely fashion
- Act as a first responder (CPR/First aid)
- Ethically navigate complex situations in trauma-informed and person-centred ways.

Program Administration:

- Develop and coordinate programming as required (information sessions, resources, groups, events, infrastructure) for multiple and diverse audiences (community, partners, funders etc.)
- Provide support to students/volunteers as appropriate
- Compile informational and statistical reports as required

QUALIFICATIONS

- Relevant combination of education and experience in the areas of social services, or related field.
- Minimum 2 years' of service support in a community-based setting with a focus on outreach activities.
- Demonstrated knowledge of resources in the community and of the unique issues facing folks who are subjected to poverty, houselessness, discrimination and systemic oppression.
- Experience working with youth, young adults is an asset
- Criminal Record Check required
- Child Abuse Record Check required
- Knowledge and understanding of diverse traditions and cultural practices with an emphasis on honouring and understanding of Indigenous practices.
- This role has some physical requirements including:
 - Must be able to lift, carry and load heavy up to 50 lbs
 - Required to stand and walk throughout the day
 - Required to be outside throughout the year on our outreach walks (2x a week)
- Vehicle and Driver's License required: larger vehicle - SUV or truck preferred

Interested candidates for this position should submit their resume via email before **October 25, 2024** to:
Human Resources at **Youville Centre**, admin@youville.ca

Huddle/Youville is committed to employment equity and eliminating barriers to employment for people who are underrepresented in Canada's workforce including Indigenous peoples, people with disabilities, members of groups that commonly experience discrimination due to race, ancestry, colour, religion and/or spiritual beliefs, or place of origin; persons who identify as women and persons of marginalized sexual orientations, gender identities, and gender expressions. In pursuit of our values, we seek team members who will work respectfully and constructively with differences and across levels of power.

We thank you for your interest. Only those candidates selected for interview will be contacted.