

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, Marymound, Sara Riel and Teen Stop Jeunesse, Youville Clinic is the lead organization for Huddle South Central.

Housing and Social Support Facilitator – 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 housing/shelter, transition support and "eviction prevention" supports.
- Grounded in person-centered, anti-oppressive, culturally safe and social justice-oriented practice and committed to building trusting relationships, the individual creates and maintains a safe and welcoming environment for the people we serve.
- Develops, implements and advocates for housing services/supports and programming to meet the needs of those we are serving.
- Provides a continuum of services and supports with a strong emphasis on the timely acquisition of housing and housing related services, system advocacy, health promotion, problem-solving and comprehensively addressing the social determinants of health.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

Housing and Social Services Programming and Supports

- Provide on-going supports, coordination/integration and planning to assist the people we serve with finding/keeping housing and other health and social supports and services, to live well. (i.e. money management, budgeting, living skills, employment preparation, benefits etc.)
- Develop and coordinate individualized care plans addressing short-term and long-term goals in collaboration with participants, interdisciplinary team members and external partners.
- Coordinate relevant programming resources, partnerships and relationships to assist individuals to find places to stay according to their desires and needs and to access additional supports where needed.
- Maintain a high level of knowledge and awareness of community resources, rent and income assistance services and programming, landlords and other service agencies involved in short and long-term housing solutions for youth and adults.

Crisis-Intervention and De-Escalation

- Integrate trauma-informed/healing centered 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)

Program Administration:

- Develop programming as required (information sessions, resources, groups, events)
- Provide support to students/volunteers as appropriate
- Compile informational and statistical reports as required
- Maintain complete and accurate documentation and records and participate in chart reviews and case conferences.

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
- Demonstrated knowledge of housing/shelter resources in the community and of the unique issues facing folks who are subjected to poverty and houselessness.
- 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.

Interested candidates for this position should submit their resume via email before **July 22, 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.