



Internal/External YOUTH WORKER



POSITION: Youth Worker, Wraparound Program

DEPARTMENT: Family and Settlement Services

POSITION FUNCTION:

Under the supervision of the Manager of Youth Programs, the Youth Worker provides comprehensive support to youth by the Wraparound service approach. Support is provided to youth aged 13 -18 who are at high risk of engaging in criminal activities and includes intake and assessment, development and implementation of care plans, coordination of individualized services and support networks, facilitation of care team meetings, advocacy and referral services. The Youth Worker also closely works with the Vancouver Police Department and the Vancouver School board as well as other community partners.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Excellent client service skills; ability to effectively deal with clientele and provide referrals
- Demonstrated facilitation skills and ability to organize workshops and forums
- Strong knowledge in the area of youth services, gender -based issues, justice systems, and social injustices that are faced by immigrants, refugees, visible minorities, and marginalized populations
- Have Bachelor's degree or diploma in Social Work, Humanities, Counselling, Child and Youth Care, Criminal Justice or relevant field from a recognized post - secondary institution, and combination of educational experiences.
- Have excellent communication skills (ability to speak, read, and write in fluent English language), and a sensitivity to other languages and cultures
- Be able to work independently as well as a team member of the program
- Strong computer skills with the ability to use social media, email, database, Excel, Word, presentation software (e.g., PowerPoint) and other computer programs
- Have 3-4 years of experience working with diverse populations including immigrants, refugees, visible minority youth and families
- Have 1-2 years of working experience with at -risk youth
- Experience in community outreach and advocacy and community development
- Fluency in the Filipino language is an asset
- Current and satisfactory Criminal Record Check and a valid BC Driver's License
- Be able to work a flexible schedule including some evenings and weekends



HOURS: 35hrs per week till March 31, 2019, with a possible reduction to 30 hours per week onwards.

RANGE PAY: \$21.20-\$23.86 per hour, based on experience

TERM: Indefinite

A competitive benefits package is provided with contracts of at least 1 year in length which offer a minimum of 17.5 hours of work per week.

RESUMES TO: MOSAIC
Attn: **Joanne Chen**, Manager at jchen@mosaicbc.org

Please reference "Youth Worker, Wraparound Program" in the subject line of our application.
Please attach a resume and a cover letter
No telephone calls, please.

DEADLINE: **Sunday, January 20, 2018**

NOTE: Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

Posting Date: January 8, 2019

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