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EXTERNAL JOB POSTING – Kamloops Clubhouse HEU Activity Assistant Casual

The Kamloops Clubhouse program provides a safe, stable environment where individuals who live with mental illness and people who are recovering from addictions can acquire skills to increase their self-esteem and level of competence in order to participate as fully as possible within their own community

Duration of position: Casual

REQUIRED EDUCATION, TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE:

- Successful completion of a certificate program such as community Mental Health Worker or Human Service Worker;
- Recent, related experience of six months or an equivalent of education, training and experience;
- Able to reach, bend, stoop and frequently lift up to 50 pounds;
- Valid 1st Aid, Food Safe required;
- Mental Health First Aid preferred

OTHER KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITLIES:

- Effective team player who is honest, and non-judgmental;
- Sensitivity towards individuals with mental illness and substance use/misuse;
- Good interpersonal, communication and critical thinking skills;
- Ability to problem solve and make ethical decisions.

RESPONSIBILITIES & KEY DUTIES:

Implements established activities to meet the activation, life skills, recreational, and social needs of adults living with mental illness and/or substance use/misuse issues.



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Salary: \$19.05 per hour.

Probation: 488 hours.

Benefits: Vacation time will be calculated at a rate of 6.0% and will be accrued

with each pay period;

Hours of Work: Shifts for which you may be called, Monday to Friday 8:30 to 4:00

Location of work: 857 Seymour St. Kamloops

Please indicate your interest in this position by forwarding a letter of interest AND an updated resume to **hr.kamloops@cmha.bc.ca.**, **by 4:00 pm July 30/17.** Interviews will be conducted ongoing as applications are received. While we sincerely appreciate all applications, only those candidates selected for interview will be contacted.

No phone calls Please.

CMHA Kamloops is an equity employer and encourages applications from women, persons with disabilities, members of visible minorities, Aboriginal Peoples, people of all sexual orientations and genders, and others whom may contribute to the further diversification of the Association. Lived experiences of mental illness and or addictions is considered an asset. To avoid a conflict of interest, people who are currently accessing CMHA Kamloops services are not eligible to apply. A criminal record check free of convictions of violence and other crimes against the vulnerable will be required.

Thank you for your interest!