

DREAM CATCHERS PROGRAM COORDINATOR / SOCIAL WORKER PART TIME PERMANENT POSITION 0.5 E.F.T. – 20 HOURS PER WEEK

Klinic Community Heath is a pro-choice community health centre that provides primary care, education and counselling services to our local community and throughout Manitoba. Driven by our vision of creating healthy and engaged communities, we promote health and quality of life for people of every age, background, ethnicity, gender identity and socio-economic circumstances. Rooted in social justice values, we believe that everyone deserves quality care, support and respect.

POSITION SUMMARY

Dream Catchers is a program for women and transgender individuals transitioning from the sex trade, providing a safe and supportive place to start their healing journey. As a member of the Dream Catchers Program Team, this position coordinates and delivers program activities including weekly support groups. This position may provide short term individual counselling, and connects, collaborates and refers with / to other services providers. Services are delivered through an empowerment based, trauma-informed lens, and within the broader context of the social determinants of health. Services will be delivered within the boundaries of the City of Winnipeg.

START DATE: As Soon as Possible

HOURS OF WORK: Wednesday 9:00 A.M. – 5:00 P.M. with remaining hours negotiable, some evening hours required. **STARTING SALARY RANGE:** \$29.867 - \$32.637 per hour

PLEASE SUBMIT RESUME TO:

Klinic Community Health Centre, 167 Sherbrook Street, Winnipeg, MB R3C 2B7 email: jobs@klinic.mb.ca Please reference job posting #2021-765 in email subject line.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Bachelor of Social Work degree
- Current registration with the Manitoba College of Social Workers
- Understanding of and experience working with street involved people and those working in the sex trade
- Minimum of two years supervised experience in community health or related area
- Experience in program and community development
- Established relationships and connections with First Nations, Inuit and/or Metis communities
- Previous work experience in First Nations, Inuit and/or Metis communities
- Lived experience as a First Nations, Metis or Inuit health professional
- Ability to work in a inter-professional environment
- Understanding the social determinants of health and their impact
- Demonstrated commitment to community based health care
- Knowledge of community resources
- Experience facilitating groups
- Experience counselling people who are in crisis and/or suicidal
- Experience providing short term counselling
- Awareness of and sensitive to issues of cultural diversity
- Demonstrated effective communications skills
- Excellent interpersonal skills
- Ability to work flexible hours, including evenings and weekends
- Ability to work independently and demonstrated decision making abilities
- Proven ability to work from an empowerment model
- Proven ability to optimize team and program functioning
- Proficient at word, email, internet searches, and electronic medical records (Accuro an asset)

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Provide social work services within the parameters of the Manitoba College of Social Workers Standards of Practice and Code of Ethics
- Facilitate support groups, incorporating cultural knowledge and practices
- Provide short term individual counselling
- Provide crisis support when a referral to the crisis lines is not appropriate
- Provide support, information, referral and links to appropriate community resources
- Engage in building and supporting an inter-professional environment
- Liaise with other programs at Klinic for health services
- Liaise with community resources and service organizations, including facilitation of referral pathways
- Participate in program development, including development of resource materials
- Work as part of a team and promote team functioning
- Charts appropriately according to Klinic procedures

Other

- Participates in training courses and in services offered elsewhere and by Klinic in order to maintain and improve quality of service
- Attend staff meetings as required
- Participate in committee work at Klinic
- Participates in program planning, evaluation and quality monitoring including completing daily statistics
- Participate in formal self evaluations by identifying strengths and limitations
- Seek appropriate supervision/consultation of own actions
- Adheres to all agency policies, protocols, procedures and promotes best practice
- Supportive of Klinic's vision, mission and values
- Performs other duties and functions related to their job description not exceeding the above qualifications

Additional Requirements:

- Work environment consisting of an office building or in community
- Work areas may be in the public areas of the building, or in community
- Work environment consists of smudging
- May be required to sit for long periods of time
- May be required to move items weighing up to 12 kg
- May encounter aggressive and/or agitated clients and visitors

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Thank you for your interest. Only candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.