



Employment Opportunity:

Early Years Registered Early Childhood Educator (RECE) (2 positions)

Full Time Temporary Contract until December 31st, 2019 with possibility for extension

The Ministry of Education **Early Years Child and Family Centre** initiative has established an EarlyOn Centre at Anishnawbe Mushkiki Community Health and Wellness. This position will be located at Anishnawbe Mushkiki Community Health and Wellness and use the Renewed Early Years and Child Care Policy Framework.

As the Early Years Early Childhood Educator, you will work under the guidance and direction of the Manager of Community Services at Anishnawbe Mushkiki.

Position: Full Time Equivalent, Temporary Contract, 35.0 Hours per week

Start Date: September 10th, 2019

Location: Anishnawbe Mushkiki, 101 Syndicate Avenue, Thunder Bay Ontario.

Responsibilities

- The ECE will plan, develop, and deliver programming that will build responsive adult-child relationships and encourage exploration, play and inquiry, supported by How Does Learning Happen? Ontario's Pedagogy for the Early Years.
- Making connections and responding to a parent/caregiver concern about their child's development through conversations and observations which can be supported by validated tools and resources, for example developmental surveillance, Nipissing Distinct Developmental Screen (NDDS) and in some cases this may result in supporting parents/caregivers to seek additional support from primary care or other regulated health professionals
- Sharing information and facilitating connections of specialized community services (such as children rehabilitation services), coordinated service planning, public health, education, child care as appropriate
- The ECE will develop programs and ensure that the programs accessed by Indigenous children and families are culturally responsive programs.
- Provides participants with an evaluation to ensure there is continuous quality improvement of all early years delivered programs, as well as working with community partners to ensure program delivery is of high quality.

Experience

- Diploma in Early Childhood Education, registered as an Early Childhood Educator
- Minimum three years' related work experience
- Through understanding of the guiding principles of child and family centered care
- Experience with using the Pedagogical Framework, How Does Learning Happen?
- Use of an automobile, valid driver's license and appropriate insurance are required
- Tuberculin (TB) Skin Test, satisfactory Criminal Record Check including Vulnerable Sector Screening Check
- Superior organizational and time management skills
- Demonstrated ability to work effectively as a team member in a Interprofessional team environment
- Proactive and able to work independently, with minimal supervision
- Knowledge and experience working with the Indigenous community
- Ability to speak the Ojibway and/or Cree languages is an asset

Education

- Registered Early Childhood Educator

Please submit your resume, proof of qualifications, and three references to khopkins@mushkiki.com

Posting closes September 4thth, 2019 at 4 pm.

We thank all those who apply. Only those selected for further consideration will be contacted. Anishnawbe Mushkiki is committed to providing employment accommodation in accordance with the Ontario Human Rights Code and the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act. If contacted for an employment opportunity or interviewing, please advise if you require accommodation.