



Employment Posting: Summer Outreach Worker

Job Title: Summer Outreach Worker
Job Type: Project Term
Term: June 5 to August 25, 2023 (12-weeks)
Hours: Monday to Thursday, 10:00am to 6:00pm (28 hours/week)
Wage: \$15.00 per hour

Voices: Manitoba's Youth in Care Network is a rights-based, youth-driven organization that engages, equips, and empowers youth in and from care, ages 12 to 30, through activities that focus on personal, emotional, and social development. We are under the stewardship of the BGC Winnipeg.

Ideal Candidate:

You are creative, energetic, and fun. You have experience working with young people, and you are comfortable speaking in public and working with small groups of people. You have a heart for social justice, and you're willing to learn more about rights and advocacy from a youth in care perspective. You enjoy the energy that comes from working with a team, as much as you like those times when you work independently. You have lived experience of Manitoba's child welfare system. Most importantly though, you are excited to help young people in and from care recognize their limitless potential.

Responsibilities:

The Voices Summer Outreach Worker is responsible for engaging youth in and from care by helping to plan and facilitate activities. As a Summer Outreach Worker, you represent Voices: Manitoba's Youth in Care Network in the community, creating spaces where young people in and from care can participate in activities that help them to know and practice their rights while building healthy relationships.

- Help plan and facilitate activities and events that are intended to engage and foster involvement of youth-in/from-care
- Facilitate rights and advocacy workshops
- Support access to appropriate resources for participants
- Be a positive role-model
- Represent Voices in the community
- Follow-up with participants after events, meetings, activities

Experience/Qualifications:

- This position is funded by Urban Green Team or Manitoba Metis Federation which requires candidates to be between the ages of 15-29.
- Understanding of Manitoba's child welfare system
- Experience working with young people
- Value the importance of creating a safe place for young people from diverse backgrounds, cultures, abilities and lived experiences
- Basic knowledge of computer programs like MS Office (Word, Excel, Publisher), email, social media, and ZOOM
- Lived experience in Manitoba's child welfare system (group homes, foster homes, kinship care, adoption, independent living programs) is considered an asset
- You can provide a clear Criminal Record Check and Child Abuse Registry Check prior to employment (dated within the last 6 months)



How to Apply:

If you are interested in this role, we would like to hear from you. Please forward your cover letter and resume in confidence to hr@bgcwinnipeg.ca. Please state the position you are applying for in the subject line of the email. You can also drop off your documents to our office. **Deadline for applications is May 10, 2023.**

Voices: Manitoba's Youth in Care Network
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Attention: HR Manager

Voices: Manitoba's Youth in Care Network encourages applications from qualified candidates who reflect the diversity of our province. We offer accommodations to applicants with disabilities throughout our application process, upon request. Only successful applicants will be contacted.