



Employment Posting: Outreach Worker

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 Boys and Girls Clubs of Winnipeg.

The Voices Outreach Worker is responsible for engaging youth in and from care, and assisting in the planning, facilitating, and reporting on all Voices programs. The Youth Outreach Worker will act as a representative of Voices: Manitoba's Youth in Care Network on a variety of community councils/committees. The Outreach Worker will model building healthy relationships while maintaining personal boundaries.

The ideal candidate is creative, energetic, and fun. They will have experience working with youth and emerging adults, with demonstrated skills and abilities in public speaking and group facilitation. The successful candidate will have knowledge and understanding of Manitoba's child welfare system, be conscientious and detail-oriented, and work well as part of a team or independently, in an effort to help youth-in/from-care recognize their potential and build their network of support.

Job Description/Responsibilities:

- Participate in the development and implementation of programs
- Facilitate workshops in small and large group settings
- Follow-up with participants after events, meetings, activities
- Help connect participants with available resources and supports
- Mentor and provide a positive role-model to program participants
- Represent Voices at training and networking opportunities

Experience/Qualifications:

- Relevant post-secondary education and training
- 1+ years experience planning and delivering youth programming
- Knowledge of Manitoba's Child Welfare System
- Experience and sensitivity working in cross-cultural settings
- Proficient in MS Office (Word, Excel, Publisher), Email, Internet, online meeting tools (ie. ZOOM)
- Strong communication skills, both verbal and written
- Strong organizational, analytical and problem solving skills
- Creative and resourceful
- Priority will be given to alumni of care
- A valid class 5 drivers license and access to a reliable vehicle
- A clear Criminal Record Check and Child Abuse Registry Check must be completed prior to employment (valid within 6 months)

Office Hours: 10am to 6pm, Monday to Thursday, with evenings and weekends as needed. This is a 1-year term with possibility of renewal.

Please submit your résumé and cover letter by Friday, October 30th, 2020 to:

Director

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Voices: Manitoba's Youth in Care Network would like to encourage applications from qualified candidates who reflect the diversity of our province. Only successful applicants will be contacted.