



Stó:lō Service Agency

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MATERNITY LEAVE COVERAGE
ABORIGINAL INFANT DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM CONSULTANT
EXTERNAL

Stó:lō Service Agency requires the services of a qualified **Aboriginal Infant Development Program Consultant** to fill a vacancy with the **Aboriginal Supported Child Development/Aboriginal Infant Development Program** with the **Health Services Department**.

The Aboriginal Infant Development Program (AIDP) Consultant will work in a home/center visiting program with Aboriginal children and families applying principles of family-centered practice. The AIDP consultant will set individual program plans and activities for children birth to 3 years old and their families. The AIDP consultant will also work with related agencies and professionals and works independently to maintain client caseload and group facilitation as required. Knowledge of Aboriginal families, family systems and culturally appropriate practices are required.

This position reports to the ASCD/AIDP/AFP Supervisor. The successful candidate will work out of the Mission office. Some travel will be required for this position within the Mission, Abbotsford and Chilliwack areas.

QUALIFICATIONS/REQUIREMENTS:

- **Must** possess a Diploma/Certificate related to Early Childhood Development and or Diploma in Infant Development or equivalent
- **Minimum 3 years'** experience working in the field of Infant Development working with Aboriginal children that require extra support or equivalent experience working in Aboriginal/First Nation communities
- **Must** be a mature individual who demonstrates assertiveness, effective interpersonal communication skills and the ability to work cooperatively with co-workers and work in partnership with other programs and resources
- **Must** demonstrate ability to: provide direct program delivery experiences; demonstrate working knowledge of family-centered care, early intervention child development and community-based programs; and communicate effectively, verbally and in writing
- **Must** be able to: work independently; demonstrate reliability and self-motivation; relate well with clients and their families; maintain professional standards; work as part of a multi-disciplinary team; perform the duties of the job; work in outreach centres as required; and maintain confidentiality in respect to work with clients and families
- Preference given to candidates with experience in pediatrics
- Knowledgeable in administering and interpreting standardized developmental assessments and screening tools.
- Process good inter-personal skills to establish rapport with families, clients and staff
- Ability to maintain a healthy working relationship with staff, community representatives/members and representatives of other organizations
- Maintain the confidentiality guidelines of all records, materials and communications concerning clients, staff and Stó:lō Service Agency
- **Successful candidates will be required to provide the following if screened in for an interview:**
 - **Proof of education** documentation
 - **References:** Three names and phone numbers of recent supervisors
 - **Must possess and maintain** a valid Class 5 BC Drivers' License. Reliable transportation is required.
 - **Must** successfully pass the required Public Safety and Solicitor General Criminal Record Check.

SALARY RANGE:

TO BE DETERMINED BASED ON EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

TYPE OF POSITION:

1-Year Maternity Leave Term Position – subject to a 3-month probationary period and planned performance evaluations.

APPLICATIONS DEADLINE:

OPEN UNTIL SUITABLE CANDIDATES ARE ESTABLISHED

Candidates will be screened according to the qualifications/requirements. Interested candidates are required to submit a resume and covering letter. Please include position title on subject line. Submit required resume and covering letter to:

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We regret that we will only respond to those applicants chosen for an interview. We thank all applicants for their interest.