



Quatsino First Nation

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Mental Health Counselor

Quatsino First Nation is located on Northern Vancouver Island, our community has an approximate population of 250 people. We are located 13 kilometres from Port Hardy.

We are seeking a dynamic individual to support the mental health of our community.

The ideal candidate will be flexible in their time, creative in their approach to in relationship building, and enthusiastic in helping to heal a community impacted by colonization and residential school.

The ideal candidate will possess knowledge of positive behaviour, maintaining and implementing clear boundaries, and the ability to collaborate with multiple agencies to build support plans where required, while being very cautious to the difference between enabling and supporting.

Duties and responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- Consistently build upon relationships with families, and staff within our community
- Creatively approach healing in the community, as well as supporting individuals to heal
- Provide information of the surrounding agencies and referrals where required
- Ability to provide individual counselling on multiple issues, when needed

Qualifications and experience:

- Certificate, diploma, or degree in Mental Health or Social Services fields
- Minimum 1-year work experience in this field, or field closely related
- Must keep the highest level of confidentiality and respect of each client
- Must have strong written and verbal communication skills
- Must have experience managing crisis intervention
- Must have knowledge of the impacts of colonization and residential schools
- Must have a valid class 5 drivers' licence

This position is full-time (35 hours per week) and work will be conducted out of the Quatsino First Nation's Band office.



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Please send your resume, references and salary expectations to:

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Attention: Melinda Sheard, Social Development Administrator

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Deadline for submission is 4:00pm March 1st, 2019, While we thank you for your interest in working for our dynamic community, only those short-listed will be contacted.