

Community Support Worker (Posting #22-051) (Full Time, Temporary – Child and Youth Service, Summer Clubs)

Chilliwack Society for Community Living has exciting opportunities for employment, providing supports to individuals with developmental disabilities to enable them to be an integral part of the community.

- Are you looking for challenging and rewarding employment?
- Are you a people person who likes to help, coach, mentor, guide and walk alongside others?
- Do you want to make a difference and build connections within your community?

If yes, we have an opportunity for you...read on!

Why you should work for CSCL:

- Recipient of the Canadian Non Profit Employer of Choice Award (neoc.ca) since 2017!
- Opportunity to positively impact the community and contribute to a "Centre of Excellence"
- Culture of appreciation, recognition and inclusiveness
- Training, job development, and professional growth opportunities
- Competitive Wages: \$21.63 - \$25.19 per hour
- Comprehensive Benefits and Municipal Pension Plan (MPP), when eligible

What you'll do as the Community Support Worker:

- Provide support to children/youth in social, recreational, and leisure settings.
- Ensure activities adhere as much as possible to the mandate of normalization.
- Involve the individual in making decisions and choosing activities while teaching new skills and developing appropriate behaviors.
- Act as a liaison person between the program and the parent/families and understand role as liaison person, and representative of the CSCL, between the programs and the community as a whole
- Provide program documentation as requested by the Children's Services Manager (including log book, petty cash accounts, incidents reports, etc.).
- Maintain communication between self and co-workers with regard to the program and the needs of the children/teens at all times. Share, as directed, relevant information about specific children/teens with their parents/advocates, and with staff of other programs or agencies with which the child/teen is involved.
- Assist with researching new activities including contacting other community agencies as needed and appropriate.
- All other duties and responsibilities are outlined in the job description for the Children's Services Support Worker obtainable from the main office
- This position requires Union membership (BCGEU)

Qualifications:

- Post-secondary education in a related field (i.e.: Early Childhood Education, Social Services, Child & Youth Care, etc)
- Experience supporting children/youth with challenging behaviour. Ability to set boundaries and expectations is essential
- Excellent understanding of community inclusion and integration as they apply to children/teens with varying mental/physical disabilities.
- Energetic, team oriented and comfortable with planning and organizing programs/activities
- Good documentation skills including online documentation and strong time management skills
- Must be physically able to meet the demands of the job, such as lifting/transferring, personal care and recreational activities.
- Must possess First Aid Certification with CPR and a valid B.C. Class 5 Drivers License
- Must be under the age of 30.
- Able to meet all other CSCL employment criteria (e.g.: Criminal Record Search, RCMP Check, Good Health Certificate, Food Safe Certificate, Vaccination Requirements, etc.)

Schedule: This position is **40 hours per week** and is **Temporary***

- Monday to Friday, 8:00am – 4:00pm

***Temporary summer position, during the months of July and August. Position details and hours are dependent upon funding approval from the HRDC Canada Summer Jobs grant..**

To Apply:

Fill out the online application form on our website at www.cscl.org, or, by clicking the following link:
External Application Form – Chilliwack Society for Community Living. **Mention Posting 22-051.**

Questions before Applying? Visit www.cscl.org/careers or contact us at careers@cscl.org

About CSCL

The Chilliwack Society For Community Living (CSCL) is a non-profit organization that supports adults with developmental disabilities, children and youth with special needs and their families in the Chilliwack and surrounding areas since 1954.

CSCL holds its values and vision at the core of its operations and is dedicated to achieving its mission: to provide quality individualized supports to enhance the lives of adults with developmental disabilities, children and youth with special needs and their families.

For more information about CSCL, check out our website at www.cscl.org

