



## JOB OPPORTUNITY

### **PINAYMOOTANG FIRST NATION HEALTH CENTRE COMMUNITY MENTOR**

The Pinaymootang Health Centre is an accredited health run facility and is seeking applications of Community Mentor through a partnership arrangement with Right to Play (RTP).

RTP's program partners with Indigenous organizations across Canada to deliver community-driven, culturally-relevant play-based programming designed to enhance leadership, self-confidence, and self-efficacy among children and youth. Guided by an Indigenous community development model, PLAY and its partners create safe and inclusive spaces where children and youth can share their ideas, their hopes and their fears, and learn the skills to become positive agents of change.

#### **Position Summary:**

Promoting Life-skills in Aboriginal Youth (PLAY) the Community Mentor position will be responsible for the planning and implementation of a program geared toward children and youth. The Community Mentor will report directly to both the Director of Health and an assigned RTP Program Officer (as per grant requirements). This Community Mentor role is a one-year full time term position (with the possibility of extension). The position requires an availability to work non-standard hours and will involve occasional travel (two to three times a year).

#### *Key Responsibilities:*

- Coordinate child and youth programming (*% of Time: 35%*):
- Plan, lead and assess core program (*% of Time 40%*):
- Support the planning and implementation of events and initiatives (*% of Time: 7%*):
- Build partnerships and program awareness (*% of Time: 8%*):
- Administration and program evaluation (*% of Time: 10%*):

#### **EDUCATION/TRAINING/CERTIFICATION:**

- Trained or willingness to be trained in how to effectively facilitate leadership and recreation programming for young people aged 7-20 years old.
- Desired, minimum College Diploma, ongoing or complete in the any of the following areas: Community Services (Child and Youth Worker; Recreation and Leisure; Social Service Worker; Early Childhood Education); or equivalent community and/or youth work experience. Studies in teaching and education.
- Desired, knowledge and/or education in Indigenous culture and worldviews as it is applied to Child and Youth Development (Education, Family and Child Services, Early Childhood Education, Social Services, Health, etc.).

#### **COMPETENCIES / PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES:**

- 1-2 years experience facilitating workshops for groups of 10 or more.
- 1-2 years experience in working with youth/children in recreation, arts, and culture programming.
- Experience in coordinating large events for 50+ people.
- Speaking, reading, and writing fluency in English.
- Highly motivated self-starter and committed to program success.
- Positive attitude and employs strengths-based approaches to working with children and youth.
- Strong verbal and written communication skills, good team work ethic, and capable of working independently.
- Knowledge in computer skills.
- Able to work under pressure, accurate and timely reporting, decision making skills.
- Coaching, mentoring, planning and coordination skills.
- Interested in being part of community development.

Please forward your resume and a cover letter in confidence to:

**Gwen Traverse, Director of Health** or [gwen@pfhealth.com](mailto:gwen@pfhealth.com)  
**Pinaymootang First Nation Health**  
PO Box 322, 824 Main Market Road Fairford, Manitoba ROC 0X0

**No later than Friday, September 30, 2022**

The successful candidate must undergo and provide a Child Abuse Registry and Criminal Check prior to employment.