Job Posting:
Community Health Nurse

Takla Landing, BC
Full time– 35hr/wk

Carrier Sekani Family Services (CSFS) is looking for a Community Nurse (CN) to join our Primary Care program. The CN is responsible for direct patient/client care and promoting the prevention of disease, the maintenance of health and overall health and well-being of the in the community of Takla Landing. The CN will deliver programs and services using a holistic model of care and practice in a culturally respectful and safe manner.

QUALIFICATIONS AND EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

• Baccalaureate Degree in Nursing preferred and/or Registered Nurse;
• Current practicing registration with the College of Registered Nurses’ of British Columbia (CRNBC), and Remote Certification status registration with CRNBC to be obtained within two (2) years of hire if requested by employer.
• Basic Life Support, Level “C” certificate
• Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) mandatory
• TNCC or ITLS preferred or to be obtained within 6 months
• 2 years of recent remote nursing and/or emergency nursing experience preferred or equivalent experience
• Completion of PHSA Indigenous Cultural Competency Training within 1 year
• Completion of the Transportation of Dangerous Goods certificate within 3 months
• Completion of Immunization certification within one year

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES

• Knowledge of First Nations Culture and traditions (specifically Carrier and Sekani)
• Apply nursing process as required and described in CRNBC’s “Standards of Nursing Practice”
• Demonstrate clinical competence
• Work effectively as part of a multidisciplinary team, with other staff, and with patients/clients and their caregivers/families
• Demonstrate conflict resolution, critical thinking and problem-solving skills
• Utilize sound judgment, good observation and assessment skills, tact and empathy
• Fact-find and seek out information and/or resources
• Intervene in crisis or difficult situations
• Organize and prioritize service needs and delivery of service
• Maintain a commitment to continuing professional development as required by the employer
• Foster and promote good public relations
• Communicate effectively, both verbally and in writing
• Deal with others effectively
• Promote positive change
• Operate related equipment, including computers
• Physically and emotionally able to carry out the duties of the position
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**Working/Special Conditions**

- This position routinely deals with a high degree of stress due to the complexity of issues, time pressures for decision making, unforeseen circumstances, changing priorities and uncertainty.
- Manage a number of requests and tasks at one time and must be prepared to deal with emergencies and stressful situations at any time.
- Occasionally lift and/or move equipment and boxes up to 25 lbs.
- Exposure to regular travel to remote locations on gravel roads.
- May be expected to travel out of the local area for meetings and/or training.
- Required to be “on call” during evenings and weekends.
- Initial and on-going employment is subject to submission of a clear Criminal Record check. Criminal Record Check must be conducted every three years. CSFS reimburses this expense.
- Must possess a valid driver’s license.

In accordance with Section 41 of the BC Human Rights Code and Section 15 of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms, preference will be given to qualified candidates with Aboriginal Ancestry.

**How to apply:** Go to [https://workforcenow.adp.com/jobs/apply/posting.html?client=Sekani&ccld=19000101_000001&type=MP&lang=en_CA](https://workforcenow.adp.com/jobs/apply/posting.html?client=Sekani&ccld=19000101_000001&type=MP&lang=en_CA) and click on the appropriate posting.

**Deadline to apply:** Position is open until filled. Please submit a cover letter and resume.

*We thank all applicants in advance for their interest; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.*

**Takla First Nation**

Takla First Nation is located in North Central British Columbia and totals approximately 27,250 square kilometres. The territory is a rich environment of lakes, rivers, forests and mountains, bordered on the west by the Skeena Mountains and on the east by the Rocky Mountains. Takla First Nation’s main community is Takla Landing, which lies 320 km north of Prince George, BC. This picturesque community, home to approximately 250 residents, is situated on the eastern shore of Takla Lake. The community, which was isolated until the 1950’s when forestry pushed into the area, is now accessible through Fort St. James on paved and unpaved forest road. Alternatively, there is summer access to Takla Landing via Germansen Landing, on rough, unpaved road.