



Stó:lō Service Agency

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HOME CARE COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSE EXTERNAL

Stó:lō Service Agency requires the services of qualified and experienced **Full-Time Home Care Community Health Nurse** to fill a vacancy with the Health Services Department. *Pursuant to section 41 of the BC Human Rights Code, preference may be given to applicants of Aboriginal ancestry. Please self-identify on your cover letter or resume*

The HCC Health Nurse will plan, organize, implement and evaluate professional nursing care for clients with acute, chronic or palliative health care needs and their caregivers in a clinic, client's home and/or community setting. Care is provided in a "Good Way" in with respect to cultural safety and cultural practices. Care is family centered and emphasizes the promotion, maintenance and restoration of health, the prevention and treatment of disease through teaching, counselling and direct nursing care and the provision of support for the client with a terminal illness, caregivers and other health care providers; participates in health promotion activities and acts as a liaison between the program, hospital units, community health providers and community support services

This position reports to Nursing Supervisor. The successful candidate will work out of the Central (Chilliwack) office and/or Satellite Communities. Travel will be required for this position.

QUALIFICATIONS/REQUIREMENTS:

- **Must hold** a Nursing Degree with Current membership and registration in good standing with the College of Registered Nurses of B.C. (CRNBC) and have experience working in a similar position
- **Must have** experience working with and in First Nation communities
- Demonstrated ability to work effectively in an interdisciplinary team environment
- Demonstrated ability to teach clients/families, community caregivers, students and staff
- Demonstrated ability to mentor and act as a preceptor to staff
- Knowledge of chronic disease management models
- Knowledge of broad health care services, community resources, agencies and their role and responsibility in providing a continuum of care
- Demonstrated ability to independently manage and prioritize caseload/workload and make decisions regarding intervention and access to subsidized resources
- Demonstrated ability to develop and implement a comprehensive plan of care
- Ability to plan, organize, analyze and make appropriate decisions
- Ability to be empathetic, establish and maintain good interpersonal relationships and to relate well with people from a wide variety of socioeconomic and cultural environments
- Ability to communicate effectively, both verbally and in writing
- Ability to operate related equipment including applicable software applications
- Physical ability to carry out the duties of the position
- Knowledge and appreciation of Aboriginal culture in general and Stó:lō culture in particular and how culture impacts in the development of individuals, communities and the delivery of health services.
- Comprehensive knowledge of federal, provincial and aboriginal organizations mandated to provide health services.

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
- Must successfully pass the required criminal record check with the Ministry of Justice

SALARY RANGE:

Will be based the BCNU Wage Grid, experience and knowledge

TYPE OF POSITION:

Full-Time position with benefits and subject to **six (6)** month probationary period and planned performance evaluations.

APPLICATIONS DEADLINE:

OPEN UNTIL POSITION IS FILLED

Candidates will be screened according to the qualifications/requirements above. Interested candidates are required to submit a resume and covering letter, Mail to:

Sto:lo Service Agency Personnel Department
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For information about this and other employment opportunities, visit www.stolonation.bc.ca

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