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VOCATIONAL/RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT WORKER (MENTAL HEALTH WORKER I) TEMPORARY – FULL TIME

The Canadian Mental Health Association (Saskatchewan Division) Inc. invites applications for the full-time position of Vocational/Recreational Development Worker in our Weyburn Branch.

Under the general supervision of the Program Director, the Worker is responsible for:

- Providing structured services for and in consultation with clients, consisting of one
 or more of the following areas: social, recreation, employment, training-on-the-job,
 vocational training, life skills or related support activities, with the goal of assisting
 clients to independently maximize community services and resources.
- The design, implementation, and evaluation of rehabilitative, vocational, social, recreational and recovery-oriented services and programs provided for the specialized needs of our clientele and community.
- Utilizing community and volunteer resources to plan and carry out social and recreation programs and activities that will support mental health recovery. Providing participants the opportunity to learn and acquire skills to maintain and improve their mental health, along with community integration, and building resilience. Mental Health activities and programming will include:
 - Writers group, art and craft projects, yard games, board games, dice and card games, swimming, skating, bowling, billiards, walks, day trips, dining out, site seeing, cards, board games, coffee & conversation, movies, shopping, visiting museums, art galleries, etc.
- Social media and website experience an asset duties may include planning and creating content for Instagram, Facebook as well as our website; including Canva design. Create and maintain content calendars for social media accounts.
- A flexible approach to an ever-changing environment is required responsibilities and staff requirements can and do change in order to provide continuous programs and services for our community and participants. Some heavy lifting required, must be able to lift 50 lbs.
- Completion of some post-secondary training in the social sciences and significant
 experience in a human services field, preferably the mental health field, or an
 equivalent combination of experience and training is required. A good knowledge
 of community resources, effective organizational, public relations and
 communication skills are essential. The successful candidate must have a valid
 driver's license and will be required to provide a clean Criminal Record Check.

Salary range: MHWI scale \$2919.65 - \$3394.58 per month

Temporary Position: April 1st, 2023 – June 30th 2023

- Possibility of extension to May 31, 2024

Some evening and weekend work may be required.

Deadline for application is March 30th, 2023 at 5:00 pm.
Please email resumes with references to: tashac@cmhask.com
Tasha Collins – Program Director
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