



# Anishnawbe Health Toronto

*Our mission is to improve the health and well-being of Indigenous people in spirit, mind, emotion and body by providing Traditional Healing within a multidisciplinary health care model.*

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

### COUNSELLOR

Regular/Full Time



Anishnawbe Health Toronto is a fully accredited community health centre which offers access to health care practitioners from many disciplines including Traditional Healers, Elders and Medicine People. We are recruiting a **Counsellor** to join a multidisciplinary mental health team which addresses the social determinants of health.

We have broken ground for our new home of Anishnawbe Health Toronto, an Indigenous Hub in the West Don Lands. We expect to be completed in the spring of 2023. Join our dynamic team and the exciting programs and services offered at AHT and our collective work to support the reclamation of culture and identity.

#### **Duties & Responsibilities:**

- Provide counselling services to individuals, couples, families or groups.
- Assist clients to determine their healing path and establish their goals.
- Participate in case reviews, case conferences and ethical reviews as required/requested.
- Provide care that reflects an understanding of health and other issues facing the Aboriginal community.
- Ensure that client information is properly and appropriately collected through charting and entered into the Electronic Medical Record.
- Proactively identify and address community health issues.
- Develop, implement, promote and coordinate program responses that assist the healing process including ceremonies, workshops, seminars, support groups, self-help groups, and circles.

## **Qualifications & Experience:**

- Preferably University Degree in Social Service sector or College Diploma / Certificate in Social Services or an acceptable equivalent combination of education, knowledge and experience
- Required to learn about Aboriginal culture, history, traditions, medicines and healing approaches
- Minimum of 2 years' experience with case management, mental health counselling and outreach
- Strong understanding of counselling ethics, including consent, confidentiality, and boundaries
- Ability to work collaboratively as part of a multi-disciplinary team
- Thorough understanding of issues affecting Aboriginal People in an urban setting
- Knowledge of Aboriginal language an asset
- Training and / or experience in Traditional Counselling desirable
- Experience using an Electronic Medical Records system for documentation

**How to Apply:** Please submit your cover letter and resume in a single document by email to [recruitment@ahh.ca](mailto:recruitment@ahh.ca), with your "Name" and "Counsellor Employment Opportunity" in the subject line & the document name. If you have questions about the application process, please call 416-920-2605 x 332.

**CLOSING DATE: Position will remain open until filled**

**START DATE: As soon as possible**

Anishnawbe Health Toronto offers competitive compensation and a supportive workplace environment.

**Applicants who self-identify as Indigenous and meet the requirements of the job posting will be given first consideration in the hiring process.**

*Anishnawbe Health Toronto is committed to diversity and values the contribution of its employees from diverse backgrounds and experiences. We welcome applications from Indigenous persons, visible minority group members, women, persons with disabilities, members of sexual minority groups, and others who contribute to greater diversity of perspectives.*

If you are invited for an interview and require accommodation, please let us know.  
Miigwetch to all applicants, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.