



Ndinawemaaganag Endaawaad Inc.

“Our Relative’s Home”

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Position: Youth Care Worker

Location: Ndinawe Safe House

Status: Casual – day, evening, overnight and weekend shifts

Description

Ndinawemaaganag Endaawaad Inc. is currently seeking **casual** Youth Workers for the Ndinawe Safe House. The program provides an emergency home for youth ages 11- 17 years of age who have found themselves without a safe place to be. The Youth Care Workers primary responsibilities include:

- Provide supervision to up to 16 youth residing in the program
- Provide resource information, complete referrals and act as an advocate for youth upon request to youth and their families.
- Ensure appropriate documentation as required. This includes logbook entries, MAR forms, incident reports
- Build positive and supportive relationships with youth
- Act a positive role model and provide mentorship to youth.
- Respond to and manage crisis situations as they arise
- Maintain appropriate documentation

Qualifications:

- A combination of related education and employment experience, with particular experience with residential care
- Strong understanding of and sensitivity to the issues that impact urban Aboriginal youth with particular emphasis on high risk, street involved youth
- Demonstrated understanding of the Child Protection Act and Licensing requirements
- Strong motivational and leadership skills
- Excellent oral and written communication skills
- Strong time management skills
- Able to maintain a high level of independence and self-initiative
- Ability to work under stressful conditions
- Valid Driver’s License
- Flexibility to accommodate for shifts days, evenings, overnights and weekends on short notice
- Subject to Criminal, Prior Contact, and Child Abuse Registry Checks

Please forward a cover letter clearly outlining your qualifications for the position along with a current resume to:

Tammy Christensen, Executive Director at tchristensen@ndinawe.ca or via fax at 589-4086

**Only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted*