



**Community
Connections**
REVELSTOKE SOCIETY

JOB POSTING

June 2022

External Posting

Job Title: Youth Respite Worker (casual)

Date Established: May 2022

Date Revised: June 2022

Reports to: Co-Directors, Family Services

Program Description:

The Supported Child and Family Development Program supports all families within the Revelstoke area who are seeking support with their children and youths. As part of this program, we are able to support and provide families with one-to-one respite services. This service is for families with children or youths with Developmental Diversabilities. The respite is on a monthly scheduled basis and will be part-time hours. The aim of the respite is to provide a break for families and the children or youth and to have fun, alongside building life skills.

Job Description:

The respite worker will assist and support a child or youth with a Diversability to participate in life skill activities within the community that are meaningful to the individual. The position requires exceptional people, organization and judgement skills, ability to interact positively with professionals, management, and team members alike, as well as excellent communication skills both written (report writing and documentation) and verbal. Strong computer skills are a requirement.





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Community Connections Values:

Community Connections serves a diverse population, and our staff reflects this diversity. We recognize the unique skills and perspectives each individual brings. You embrace Community Connection's values, vision and mission while treating individuals as leaders in their own lives. You contribute to an environment of continuous learning and seek to join a compassionate and supportive workplace.

Mission Statement:

The Mission of Community Connections (Revelstoke) Society is to offer support to individuals and families in our community by providing and advocating for accessible, responsive social services.

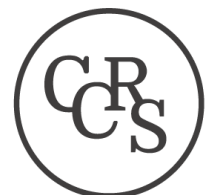
Values Statement

In providing our services we value:

- ❖ Diversity
- ❖ Belonging
- ❖ Individuality
- ❖ Respect
- ❖ Human Dignity
- ❖ Relationships
- ❖ Connection to Community
- ❖ Individuals & Families

Vision Statement

By 2022, Community Connections (Revelstoke) Society will continue to be recognized by our community, the region and the province, as a leader for the provision of quality, responsive & socially just services.





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Key Duties and Responsibilities:

1. Assists individuals to set and meet their goals as outlined in their individual service plans
2. Follows Community Connections procedures to ensure the safety and well-being of all participants as per the Health and Safety policies and procedures.
3. Administers medication to clients in accordance with the policy and procedure if required.
4. Develops and maintain positive relationships with individuals who they support
5. Use of materials or activities that motivates your child specifically to increase their engagement.
6. Promoting learning by using visual supports and managing environmental factors.
7. One-to-One intervention at home, or in a variety of community settings on a year-round basis
8. Completes accurate and timely documentation as outlined in CARF standards.
9. Performs other related duties as required.





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Qualifications:

Education/Certification:

1. Completed High School Diploma
2. First Aid - Emergency Level 1 or equivalent
3. Criminal Record Check- completed by the organization.
4. Drivers Abstract

Experience:

1. This position requires relevant and current experience working with children or youth who have a Developmental Diversability. The applicant will have successful experience working in a position of responsibility with minimal supervision.

Occupational Competencies:

1. Ability to relate to individuals who have a Developmental Diversability in a professional, supportive, respectful, and compassionate manner.
2. Ability to demonstrate initiative and make appropriate decisions as necessary.
3. Ability to support individuals to meet their goals as stated in their ISP.
4. Ability to advocate for individuals within the community or organization as necessary.





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Additional Information: This position is required to work in a stressful environment, often dealing with individuals or staff in crisis situations. Work may be conducted outside normal office hours, depending upon client's availability.

Wage: Grid Level 1- Step 1 of Community Connections wage grid

Location: Main Office

Hours: Casual positions, flexible hours available

Closing Date: Open until filled

Start Date: As soon as possible

Applications must include a current resume with a cover letter stating your qualifications and education for the Posted Position to:

Jake Sloots
Human Resources Manager
Community Connections (Revelstoke) Society
Ph: 250 837 2920 Ext. 28
Email: hr@community-connections.ca

Community Connections is a CARF accredited organization

