

Job Title: Psychologist (PhD or Masters) - Child & Youth - Mental Health & Addictions

Req ID: 9918

Location: Western Soldiers' Memorial Hospital

Type of Employment: Regular Hourly FT (100% FTE) x 1 position(s)

Union Status: Healthcare CUPE Healthcare

Posting Closing Date: 16-Mar-18

Applications are accepted until 11:59 PM on the Closing Date

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The Nova Scotia Health Authority is the largest provider of health services in Nova Scotia. We are over 22,000 employees who provide health care and support services in hospitals, health centres and community-based programs throughout Nova Scotia.

Nova Scotia Health Authority provides health services to Nova Scotians and some specialized services to Maritimers and Atlantic Canadians. We operate hospitals, health centres and community-based programs across the province. Our team of health professionals includes employees, doctors, researchers, learners and volunteers that provide the health care or services you may need. This is accomplished across four geographic management zones which are responsible for the operation of acute care health centres and the provision of a variety of inpatient, outpatient services including academic, tertiary, quaternary care and community based programs and services including continuing care, primary health care, public health, and mental health and addictions

Responsibilities

Reporting to the Manager, Child and Youth Program, the Psychologist works as a member of the multi-disciplinary team to assess and treat individuals and families affected by a broad range of disorders, illnesses and mental health complaints, as well as delivers treatment groups. The Psychologist participates in the planning, development, provision and evaluation of Mental Health Services for those persons under age 19.

The Psychologist ensures that the principles and practices that guide Nova Scotia Health Authority such as the mission, vision, values, expected behaviors, the leadership philosophy, organizational health, population health, ethics, safety, quality, partnerships and interprofessional collaboration are integrated within the services they provide and through the messages they deliver.

Please Note : This is a reposting, previous applicants need not reapply

Qualifications

- PhD in clinical psychology or Psy.D. Degree
- Or an equivalent combination of Masters prepared training and professional experience of no less than two years in the child and youth field may be considered
- Current registration as a Psychologist with the Nova Scotia Board of Examiners in Psychology (NSBEP)
- Or current listing on the Candidate Register under the supervision of a Registered Psychologist
- Professional training in Child Clinical Psychology acceptable to nationally-recognized accrediting bodies is considered an asset
- Computer proficiency with Microsoft Office Suite (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook)
- A working theoretical and practical knowledge of varied intervention strategies and the relative efficacy of interventions which promote health and wellness in a child youth population
- A working theoretical and practical knowledge of psychological testing applicable to the client population
- Motivated with a strong customer service orientation building solid health care client/partner relationships
- Demonstrated ability to synthesize information, problem solve and utilize good judgment in decision making

- Demonstrated planning, organizational and time management skills
- Demonstrated commitment to quality improvement initiatives and evidence based practice
- Commitment to promoting a culture that supports safety, ethical practices and organizational health
- Demonstrated accountability
- Demonstrated attention to detail
- Demonstrated commitment to ongoing learning and professional development
- Demonstrated ability to maintain confidentiality
- Demonstrated ability to communicate effectively both orally and in writing
- Demonstrated good attendance in current and past employment
- Exemplary work history as demonstrated in current and past employment
- Physical capabilities to perform the duties of the position
- Travel is required and maybe across the zone
- Professional training in Child Clinical Psychology acceptable to nationally-recognized accrediting bodies is considered an asset
- Experience beyond training working with this population is considered an asset
- An equivalent combination of Masters prepared training and professional experience of no less than 2 years in the child and youth field may be considered
- Competencies in other languages an asset, French preferred
- Successful external applicants are required to provide a criminal record check (including Vulnerable Sector Search) and Child Abuse Registry to People Services before starting employment and assume any associated costs as a condition of employment
- PLEASE NOTE: Applicants will be screened on the above qualifications. Applicants must clearly demonstrate how they meet the knowledge and competencies in their cover letter and resume. Applicants relying on education and experience equivalencies must demonstrate such equivalencies in their application. Applicants will not be considered for an interview if applications are incomplete or missing information.

Hours of Work

* Regular full-time position; 75 hours biweekly

* Travel to various sites is required

Salary Information

Psychologist (Masters):

\$32.6359 - \$42.9027 hourly

OR

Psychologist PhD (Candidate Register):

\$42.6968 - 45.8238 hourly

OR

Psychologist (PhD):

\$49.3876 - \$54.8745 hourly

Thank you for your interest in this position. Only those applicants selected for an interview will be contacted. Typically interviews are held within three to four weeks of the closing date.

Successful external applicants will be required to submit a criminal record check and assume any associated costs, as a condition of employment.

This is a Healthcare CUPE Healthcare bargaining unit position. Preference is given to bargaining unit employees for unionized positions.

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