

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY – INTERNAL/EXTERNAL POSTING

Position: WiiChiiHehWayWin Outreach Worker (4 Positions – 6 Month Contracts)

Summary:

WiiChiiHehWayWin Outreach Worker works under the direction and supervision of Matawa Health & Social Meno Biimadeswin Director or her designate. The Outreach Worker works closely with Health & Social Meno Biimadeswin Team in responding to crisis when required by Matawa members who reside in Thunder Bay. The Outreach Worker will work to support and advocate for Matawa members who are experiencing substance use and mental wellbeing challenges by providing appropriate crisis intervention, respond to crisis calls and ensure members receive appropriate services.

Qualifications / Requirements:

- Possess a high school diploma or study in field of Social Work
- Experience in crisis response
- Fluency in Cree or Ojibway is a definite asset
- Knowledge of services provided in city of Thunder Bay
- Strong understanding of First Nation needs, culture, traditions and practices
- Excellent interpersonal, networking, coaching, communication skills
- Ability to navigate complex crisis situations and provide high level of care, guidance and support, deal effectively with conflict and crisis

Salary: We offer competitive salary and benefits commensurate with education and work experience.

For additional information, including specific qualifications and experience for the position, please view the Job Description at the Matawa website: www.matawa.on.ca

Please send your cover letter and resume with three employment references to:

Matawa First Nations Management
RE: **Att: Francine Pellerin, Health & Social Meno Biimadeswin Director**
Mail: 233 Court Street South, 2nd Floor, Thunder Bay, ON P7B 2X9
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Application Deadline: until positions are filled

We thank all applicants for their interest in working with Matawa First Nations, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

