



## **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

**Position:** Nurse Practitioner

**Background:**

Incorporated in 2017, the Matawa Health Cooperative (MHC) is a Matawa First Nation owned and controlled health co-operative that provides health care services to enhance existing health services to achieve long-term health and well-being for all members within the nine (9) Matawa First Nations. It is overseen by a Board of Directors and is a member of the Health Care Co-operatives Federation of Canada. The MHC is community-driven with available services being tailored to individual community's needs. It is the first of its kind in Canada.

The MHC works to incorporate traditional healing and medicines in addressing the wholistic health needs of the Matawa First Nations focusing on the priorities of mental health and addictions, diabetes and chronic diseases.

The organization is currently accepting applications for a **Nurse Practitioner**.

**Position Summary:**

The Nurse Practitioner is an integral part of the multi-disciplinary team and a key part of the patient's circle of care. The Nurse Practitioner will practice within the full scope of practice outlined in the Standards of Practice by the College of Nurses of Ontario. With the support and guidance from the Executive Director of the Matawa Health Co-operative or their designate, the employee will provide services and care with emphasis on a holistic approach to support clients, communities, and families of the Matawa communities. Specific duties include:

- Performs comprehensive physical and mental health assessments, physical evaluations and synthesizes data from multiple sources to make a diagnosis of disease or disorder.
- Collaborates with clinical nurses and other members of the healthcare team to augment primary health care and public health care, and to problem solve complex situations.
- Provides primary nursing care throughout the delivery of care to ensure seamless continuity of practice.
- Identifies, refers and manages the care of clients with diseases or disorders and or monitors the ongoing therapy of clients with chronic stable illness by providing effective.
- Applies principles of epidemiology and demography to clinical practice.

## Benefits of working for the Matawa Health Co-operative:

- Optional flexible schedule to support work-life balance.
- HOOPP pension plan available to all employees.
- Canada Life benefit plan that includes dental, healthcare and vision care.
- Employee & family assistance program (EFAP) available to all employees.
- Competitive salaries and paid vacation time.
- Making a difference for Matawa communities.

**Location:** Thunder Bay, Ontario (with regular travel to Matawa road-access and remote communities)

**Salary:** Commensurate with experience

**Term:** Full-Time, Part-Time, Casual

**How to Apply:** Please send your cover letter and resume with three references to:

Matawa Health Co-operative  
RE: Nurse Practitioner  
523 Algoma St. N.  
Thunder Bay, ON P7A 5C2  
Fax: (807) 346-2371  
Email: [mhc-careers@matawa.on.ca](mailto:mhc-careers@matawa.on.ca)

**Deadline:** Open until filled.

For additional information, please view the job description at the Matawa website:

[www.matawa.on.ca](http://www.matawa.on.ca)

<http://www.matawa.on.ca/recruitment/career-opportunities>

*We thank all applicants for their interest in working with the Matawa Health Co-operative, however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.*

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