



## **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

**Position: Community Health Nurse - CLFN**

### **Background:**

Incorporated in 2017, the Matawa Health Co-operative (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 accepting applications for **Community Health Nurse - CLFN**.

### **Position Summary:**

The Community Health Nurse (CHN) is responsible for providing comprehensive community health core services (including but not limited to Infant and Child Health, Adolescent Health, Adult and Elder Care, Maternal Health, school health programs, chronic disease prevention and management, immunization programs, communicable disease surveillance and treatment) in accordance with the CNO and provincial standards, in order to: protect, prevent and reduce the incidence of communicable disease; promote a healthy life style and wellness; and decrease suffering to all community members. Also, for providing comprehensive, culturally safe, and community-centered public health nursing services to the members of Constance Lake First Nation (CLFN). This role requires a strong understanding of Indigenous history, culture, and social determinants of health. The CHN will work collaboratively with the community, elders, and other health professionals to develop and deliver programs that are respectful and responsive to the unique needs of the Indigenous population.

*For more details, please review the Community Health Nurse - CLFN Job Description.*

### **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:** Constance Lake First Nation

**Salary:** Commensurate with experience

**Term:** Full-Time

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

Matawa Health Co-operative  
RE: Community Health Nurse - CLFN  
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)**

**(or at: <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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