

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

THE JAMES BAY LOWLANDS SECONDARY SCHOOL BOARD & THE MOOSONEE DISTRICT SCHOOL AREA BOARD & THE MOOSE FACTORY ISLAND DISTRICT SCHOOL AREA BOARD

Requires an

1.0 LTO Shared Mental Health and Well-Being Lead

(Contract Position from August 15, 2022 to March 10, 2023)

For **Moosonee Public School, Ministik School, and Northern Lights Secondary School**

POSITION OVERVIEW:

Under the supervision of the Director of Education for JBLSSB & MDSAB and the Supervisory Officer for MFIDSAB as supported by the School Administration teams at Ministik School, MPS and NLSS, the Mental Health and Well-Being Lead will be expected to:

- Organize, communicate and coordinate the provision of Mental Health and Well-being counseling, support services and training for staff at Ministik, MPS, and NLSS.
- Work closely with the school-based Well-being and Student Success teams to provide staff support and training to build capacity in delivering student mental health and well-being counselling / programs
- Develop and use effective therapeutic intervention, prevention and support strategies in both individual and group settings
- Coordinate with external agencies and community partners to extend services and support to students as needed beyond the school day
- Compile and analyze statistics to create reports, find gaps, and provide appropriate support
- Advocate for greater awareness and provide training for all staff in the understanding and implementation of supports for youth mental health and well-being

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS / KNOWLEDGE:

- Bachelor or Graduate level degree/ diploma in Social Work, Education or Counseling.
- Be regulated with the College of Social Workers or Social Service Workers.
- Experience in teaching, counseling, and staff development related to youth, youth intervention and support programs.
- Experience in a school setting or working with Indigenous youth/children is considered an asset.
- A minimum of two years' experience in social work, counseling or a related field.

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: **4 pm – Friday, July 29, 2022**

Please forward written applications with cover letter, résumé and three work references with permission to contact. Successful applicant must be in possession or be able to obtain a Criminal Record Vulnerable Sector Check, completed within the last six months. Inquiries and Applications should be sent to:

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