

McMan Youth, Family and Community Services Association

Our Life Skills Outreach Program in Red Deer is seeking a:

Casual Intervention and Support Specialist

McMan's **Life Skills Coaching** provides hands-on training and education. This coaching is aligned with the specific needs of individuals who struggle with addiction and/or mental health issues. Intervention and Support Specialists focus on individuals who struggle with addiction and/or mental health issues along with the criteria for eligibility for Disability Services through the Government of Alberta.

Responsibilities include:

- Working with high risk clients with severe addiction and/or mental health issues
- Work within a Harm Reduction framework
- Develop trusting relationships with clients
- Assist with obtaining and maintaining housing
- Assist with daily tasks such as:
 - o Money Management
 - o Daily Medications
 - o Grocery Shopping
 - o Client Transportation
- Encourage daily hygiene
- Complete daily notes and monthly reports
- Attend team meetings weekly/monthly depending on the need
- Work with treatment or housing team, to provide wraparound support

Minimum Qualifications and Requirements:

- Diploma in the Human Services Field and/or minimum 2 years human services experience (consideration will be given to those with partially completed education)
- PDD experience, experience in working with substance abuse, and AISH are an asset
- Committed to developing positive and therapeutic relationships with clients
- Ability to provide positive and non-judgmental support
- Ability to work as a member of a professional team
- Good decision making and problem-solving skills
- Be flexible and have strong interpersonal skills.
- Standard First Aid – Level C CPR, Suicide Intervention Training & De-Escalation Training
- Intervention Record & Criminal Record Checks including the vulnerable sector
- Class 5 Drivers License, Clean Drivers Abstract and reliable vehicle for client transportation required
- Knowledge and understanding of Indigenous Culture considered an asset

Wage Range: \$22.71/hr. - \$28.65/hr. Plus travel reimbursement – Hourly wage to be negotiated based on education and experience.

Benefits: McMan promotes the wellbeing of our employee's promoting flexibility, health and wellness, and a Employee and Family Assistance Program.

Hours of work: Up to 40 hours week. Flexible schedule required with availability to work evenings and weekends.

If you are interested in this position, please forward your Resume to: careers@mcmancentral.ca

For more information visit our website at www.mcmancentral.ca

Please Quote Competition No: PDD-ISS-09-19-22

Competition will remain open until a successful candidate is found.

We thank all that apply. Only short-listed applicants will be contacted for an interview.



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McMan is committed to providing and maintaining a work environment that is safe and healthy for our staff and clients, accordingly we require all new staff be fully vaccinated against COVID-19

McMan is Committed to the Principles of Employment Equity