



Elsipogtog Health & Wellness Centre

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Employment Opportunity

Community Dietitian

(1 year full time maternity leave contract)

The community dietitian is responsible to provide client centered and culturally based individual and group counseling to community members in the areas of nutrition and diet therapy as well as to design and implement nutrition programs and services.

The community dietitian will identify and support priority groups in the area of nutrition and foster change around eating habits to prevent and manage chronic diseases.

Key Responsibilities

- 1. Nutrition Assessment and Counseling**
 - a. Assess the nutritional and dietary needs of community members and groups.
 - b. Provide nutrition and dietary counseling according to needs.
 - c. Refer clients to other health professionals, programs or services as needed.
- 2. Nutrition Promotion and Education**
 - a. Promote and act as a resource person in providing nutrition information.
 - b. Provide nutrition education in all other Health Program areas.
 - c. Develop and deliver nutrition programs and services in the community.
- 3. Information Management**
 - a. Collect key data and information on all program related matters.
 - b. Prepare proposals, grants and funding reports in related program areas.
 - c. Initiate and conduct research and evaluations as needed in the area of nutrition.
- 4. Partnerships**
 - a. Identify and nurture key partnerships.
 - b. Develop and foster inter-professional collaborative practice.
 - c. Participate in various committee and workgroups.
- 5. Perform other related duties.**

Qualifications & Abilities

- Bachelor of Science degree in Nutrition or Dietetics
- Completion of a Dietetic Internship Program

- Membership in good standing with the New Brunswick Association of Dietitians
- Recent experience in:
 - maternal & child health
 - community nutrition, community health and population health
 - food security
 - school nutrition, menu planning and food service management
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills in English
- Ability to work in a team environment
- Ability to multi-task and prioritize
- Ability to self-motivate, demonstrate self-responsibility and high degree of initiative
- Reliability, sound judgement, adaptability and flexibility
- Community & family role model
- Knowledge of the First Nation Culture and the provisions of Culturally Safe Care

Application deadline: March 20th 2020

Start date: April 2020

Interested candidates should submit a CV and covering letter electronically to patricia.murphy@ehwc.ca with the name of the position in the subject line. All candidates are thanked for their interest; however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.