Physiotherapist

Government of Yukon -> Health & Social Services – Intermediate and Community Care, Therapies – Home Care

Location: Whitehorse, YT
Requisition: #19821
Salary: $78,153 - $90,228 per annum
Closing date: January 30, 2020

This competition is to fill one (1) full-time term position, working 75 hours bi-weekly, until August 30, 2020.

It will also be used for Anticipatory full-time permanent positions that may become available.

Your Role

We are looking for a dynamic individual to provide clinical care services for residents/clients (Long-term Care and Home Care). As a Physiotherapist, you will be responsible for providing direct care and consultations to residents/clients to enhance, maintain, improve, or restore mobility, strength, balance and flexibility. You will plan, direct, deliver, and evaluate services through direct assessment, intervention, consultation, and assignment of task components to Therapy Assistants. This position also involves providing training to Continuing Care staff.

Who We Are

Yukon’s Department of Health and Social Services aims to promote, protect, and enhance the well-being of Yukon people through a continuum of quality, accessible, and appropriate health and social services. Continuing Care’s philosophy is “Every action and decision performed by this position is founded on respect for the residents/clients, for the promotion of their dignity, individual freedom, choice and lifestyle, and meaningful quality living.”

For more information about this position, please contact Heidi Croucher, Interdisciplinary Team Supervisor, at (867) 332-3240 or heidi.croucher@gov.yk.ca

For more information about this posting, please contact Lisa Wallace, at (867) 332-3624 or lisa.wallace@gov.yk.ca

*Please do not email resumes to either of these addresses; resumes may only be accepted through our E-Recruitment system. Link to create your account to apply: E-Recruitment

Essential Qualifications

Please submit your resume clearly demonstrating how you meet the following qualifications:

- Bachelor’s or master’s degree in Physical Therapy
- Experience as a Physiotherapist, providing assessment and treatment, preferably in a
community and/or long-term care environment, is an asset

- Experience supervising support staff is an asset

**Desired Knowledge, Skills and Suitability**

- Strong assessment skills
- Ability to develop, implement and evaluate individual and group programs
- Excellent interpersonal, conflict management and communication skills
- Ability to supervise, and provide leadership for, support staff
- Ability to work both independently and with an interdisciplinary team of health care professionals
- Strong organizational and time management skills to manage a diverse caseload
- Ability to work in a multicultural environment, with an emphasis on Yukon First Nations culture

**Conditions of Employment:** TB screening; WHMIS 2015; CPR Level C (within last 18 months); Vulnerable Sector RCMP Security Clearance; Valid Class 5 Driver’s Licence; licence to work in Yukon as a Physiotherapist.

**Job Requirements:** Exposure to animals in the Pet Therapy program; exposure to second-hand smoke; exposure to latex products; travel within the territory.

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**How to Apply**

To apply for the position of Physiotherapist, and for full details on the requirements of the role, please visit: [http://employment.gov.yk.ca](http://employment.gov.yk.ca).

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