



Where ideas work

**Ministry of Children and Family Development
Coquitlam**

**Senior Director, Maples Adolescent Treatment Centre
\$107,800.20 - \$137,500.00 annually**

The Maples Adolescent Treatment Centre is a designated provincial mental health facility providing residential, non-residential, and outreach specialized assessment and treatment services to children and youth aged 12 to 17 who experience significant psychiatric and behavioural challenges. The program works to provide a period of stabilization and intensive intervention and support for families or caregivers in the implementation of a long-term community care plan.

This position is accountable for planning, development, and delivery of services at the Maples Adolescent Treatment Centre, including the complex care program, and for achieving desired business results which address the needs of children, youth, and families. As Director of a Mental Health facility under the *Mental Health Act*, the position is designated to admit, discharge, sign Consent for Treatment forms, and ensure adherence to all elements of the *Mental Health Act*. As the Director for purposes of committals arising under the Criminal Code of Canada, the position is responsible to the Review Board of British Columbia for detention, treatment and supervision of children and youth found unfit to stand trial or not criminally responsible because of a mental disorder.

Qualifications for this role include:

- Minimum Bachelor's degree, or preferably Master's degree in Clinical Psychology, Counselling Psychology, or Social Work. A university degree in corporate services (i.e., business administration, public administration, finance, commerce, human resources, etc.) or other related university degree or equivalent may be considered for this position.
- Substantial progressive experience in leading the delivery of mental health treatment services to children and youth, preferably in a residential or hospital setting.

Extensive progressive experience may include:

- Experience of overseeing the design and delivery of operations support services.
- Experience of establishing accountability frameworks, monitoring performance of programs and services, and achieving results.
- Experience of overseeing complex concurrent programs and projects.
- Experience of leading and resolving complex staff and/or client issues.
- Experience of managing a portfolio of clients in order to understand and deliver on needs.

For more information, and to apply online by August 7, 2022, please go to:

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