



Clinic Nurse (Registered Practical Nurse)

Status: Casual

Closing Date: Open until filled

The **Gizhewaadiziwin Health Access Centre** is a community based, Indigenous controlled, Primary Care service that combines western curative care with traditional Ojibway healing philosophies and practices. The Access Centre provides clinical, social, health promotion and preventive services, as well as, access to traditional Ojibway healers.

The Gizhewaadiziwin Health Access Centre, located in the heart of the Fort Frances Tribal Area and the Rainy River District, is the result of a unique partnership between area First Nations, the United Native Friendship Centre and the Sunset Country Metis.

Summary of Position:

Reporting to the Clinical Program Manager, as a key member of an interdisciplinary health care team, the casual Clinical Nurse will provide support and assistance to the Primary Care Physician and Nurse Practitioners in the delivery of quality services to patients of the Access Centre. This shall include the administration of medication and treatment procedures as directed, as well as planning, implementing and evaluating patient care plans. The Clinic Nurse will also play an active role in the delivery of health initiatives to community members throughout the Rainy River District.

Qualifications:

- Completion of a college, university or other approved nursing program;
- Currently licenced to practice nursing in the Province of Ontario;
- Member of the RPNAO;
- Certification in venipuncture and demonstrated competency in immunizations on adults and children;
- Demonstrated competency in EKG procedure;
- 3-5 years recent clinical experience is an asset;
- Valid driver's licence and willingness to travel within the Rainy River District;
- As per policy, applicants should note that COVID-19 vaccination is a condition of employment within Gizhewaadiziwin Health Access Centre.

Desired:

- Experience and understanding of local Indigenous communities and culture within the Rainy River District an asset.
- Ability to speak Ojibway is an asset.
- First Nations, Inuit or Metis candidates are encouraged to apply. Please self-identify.

A complete Job Description is available by contacting Cheryl McEvoy, Human Resources/Office Manager at 274-3131.

Qualified applicants are invited to fill out an online application form at <https://forms.gle/ecc9DXD2uqZaWN5SA> **or** submit a resume, covering letter, 3 work related references (*one must be from a current or most recent supervisor*) and written authorization to contact references.

Attention: Personnel Committee
Gizhewaadiziwin Health Access Centre
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We thank all candidates in advance, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted. Gizhewaadiziwin is committed to providing employment accommodation in accordance with the Ontario Human Rights Code and the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act. If contacted for an employment opportunity or interviewing, please advise if you require accommodation.

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