

Employment Opportunity - Director of Protection

Awasisak Nikan Child and Family Services Inc. is an independent Indian Child and Family services agency located in west central Saskatchewan. Awasisak Nikan Child and Family Services Inc is seeking a highly motivated individual, who is well organized, experience in working with and supporting families, knowledge of child development, understanding family dynamics, decision making and team conscious in daily responsibilities to fill the position of Director of Protection.

Position Summary:

Report directly to the Executive Director, The Director of Protection will be responsible for a wide array of duties. The Director of Protection will oversee a team of Child Protection Workers and the delivery of a generic service system and will be responsible for ensuring the effective delivery of service and compliance with current child welfare standards/legislation and internal policies and procedures.

Qualifications:

- MSW or BSW degree is preferred; or
- Master's Degree or Bachelor's Degree in human services with 3-5 years of experience working with children and families
- Previous Child Protection experience
- Direct managerial or supervisory experience
- Excellent knowledge of programs and services, including legislation governing child welfare
- Strong communication skills, personal integrity and initiative
- Strong organizational and administrative skills; excellent time management skills
- Ability to maintain effective working relations and to develop strong, effective teams
- Ability to meet deadlines and work flexible hours

Other Requirements

- Clear Police Vulnerable Sector Check
- Possess a valid driver's license, clear driving record
- Experience and sensitivity to the needs of First Nations communities are considered an asset.
- Must possess a Class 5 Drivers License and clean drivers abstract
- Must Clear CPIC with Vulnerable Sector Check
- Strong Knowledge Saskatchewan Child Welfare Act, and Child Welfare Policies and procedures and the Customary Standards of Care.
- Excellent knowledge of Computer Software Systems, as well as Microsoft office products, including Excel, Word, Access, Outlook and Mcase.
- Strong written and verbal skills to communicate with all Levels of Management

Closing Date: August 19, 2022 4:30pm

How to apply: Submit your detailed cover letter, resume and references via email, regular mail, fax or in person to:

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****Only those who are selected will be contacted and thank you all for expressing your interest ****