



Contract Posting

Women Health Promoter, High Priority Communities Strategy Program

HIGH PRIORITY COMMUNITY STRATEGY INITIATIVE: Social Services Network (SSN), Carefirst Seniors and Community Services Association (Carefirst), and more than 20 other partners have come together to form the High Priority Communities Strategy program of South Markham. The goal of our program is to provide services to the communities that are disproportionately affected by COVID-19. To date, our program has reached 50,000+, swabbed 25,000+, vaccinated 25,000+, and provided wraparound support services to 1,300+.

As we enter into a new phase of the pandemic, we will need to refocus our efforts to include recovery initiatives such as Women's Health and Mental Health. As such, our team will need to group to meet the needs of the program. Be a part of this year's High Priority Communities Strategy program to aid in the response and recovery of Southeast Markham. "

TERM: Full-time Contract (**ending August 15, 2023**)

ANNUAL SALARY: \$23- \$25 /hour

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Develop, organize and coordinate women health education including (but not limited to) connecting with health educators such as physicians, physiotherapists, dietitians, etc. to promote and deliver the activities
- Liaise with partner agencies to spread and promote health sessions
- Share women health related information to local residents, community members and local businesses
- Conduct surveys about communities needs for health education
- Conduct evaluation sessions among participants about education activities
- Inform and educate community members on women health measures and reinforce provincial and regional guidelines for health and safety
- Organize women health information sessions, and distribute resources through tabling sessions/events, presentations at local community venues, religious venues and businesses.
- Dispel culturally specific myths/misinformation through culturally and language specific education and information sessions.
- Engage with local businesses, community groups, religious organizations, and respond to community members' queries and concerns regarding women health
- Conduct virtual wellness checks on community members regarding women health
- Refer and connect community members to appropriate resources and supports within the community.
- Report to the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Social Services Network (SSN)

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Degree in social work, nursing, sociology, psychology, or a related field
- Minimum 2 year of experience or above in community services is an asset
- Demonstrate a strong working knowledge of women health and related subjects
- Excellent communication and presentation skills to clearly convey information in a manner that engages the audience and helps them understand and retain messaging
- Must be able to communicate verbally and in writing in English and a second language (Punjabi, Hindi, Urdu, Tamil preferred)
- Must be able to work a variety of shifts including evenings and weekends and from a variety of locations in south eastern York region and Scarborough.
- Demonstrate a strong interest in making an impact in the community through service, leadership, and education
- Sensitivity to people from different socio-economic backgrounds with an equity lens
- Self-directed, self-motivated, with a positive attitude and be able to work independently and as part of a team
- Ability to prioritize, multi-task and adjust to shifting priorities
- Valid driver's license and access to a reliable vehicle
- Current vulnerable sector check (completed within one year)

Please submit your resume with a cover letter in one file in PDF format through the Charity Village application portal. [No direct email applications will be considered.](#)

<https://charityvillage.com/jobs/women-health-promoter-remote-in-anywhere/>

Deadline for applications is Sept 23rd, 2022

Social Services Network is an equal opportunity employer. We are committed to an environment that is barrier free. If you require accommodation during the hiring process, please inform us in advance to arrange a reasonable and appropriate accommodation.

While we thank all candidates for their interest, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.