



## **Job description:**

### **Social worker / Indigenous Health Liaison Officer**

#### **Type of position**

The First Peoples Innovation Centre seeks to be a standard-bearer for innovative social initiatives, in which Indigenous and non-Indigenous people collaborate to promote and nurture the full potential of First Peoples, in a context of authentic and continuing reconciliation.

We are looking for an Indigenous health liaison officer to provide support and accompaniment to the young participants of the Onaki FabLab and to the team of instructors and assistant instructors.

#### **Responsibilities**

Under the supervision of the Executive Director, the Indigenous Health Liaison Officer will:

- Meet with Onaki FabLab participants and CIPP staff to assess their situation and their problems and determine the nature of the services they need (punctual or therapeutic follow-up, referral to various resources, etc.);
- Contribute to improving, promoting and facilitating the socio-professional reintegration and job retention of Onaki FabLab's participants;
- Define the specific needs of Indigenous youth and make them aware of the Indigenous and community resources available to them in Gatineau and surrounding area;
- Inform and guide newcomers to the Gatineau region in order to facilitate their integration;
- Use the services and advice of reputable elders to guide youth in their journey.

## **Experiences et skills sought**

- Bachelor degree or technical degree in social work
- Have at least 2 years of experience in social work;
- Have experience in mental health intervention;
- Be a member of the Order of social workers and marital and family therapists of Quebec or Ottawa equivalent and communities.
- Possess work experience related to Indigenous issues;
- Demonstrate cultural sensitivity;
- Excellent command of French and English (written and spoken);
- Be willing to work outside normal business hours and travel to Indigenous communities as required;
- Possess a valid driver's license.

## **Specific qualities required**

- Have excellent communication skills, including writing reports and presenting results;
- Demonstrate a high level of confidentiality;
- Possess strong interpersonal skills.
- Have a good knowledge of Word, PowerPoint and Excel software;

## **Terms**

- Remuneration: between 35\$ et 40\$ per hour
- Schedule: One day per week
- Starting date: as soon as possible

Please send your CV and cover letter to: [eulogep@cipp-fpic.com](mailto:eulogep@cipp-fpic.com)