
Position Title:	SOCIAL WORKER – EATING DISORDERS
Company/Program:	Windsor Essex Community Health Centre – Teen Health
Classification:	Contract, Part Time (21 hours per week)
Date Posted:	January 25, 2024

CORE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE POSITION

The Social Worker will provide counselling/therapy and other therapeutic functions, crisis intervention and participate in the development, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of programs and service for families, youth (ages 12-24) and clients affected by eating disorders. The Registered Social Worker will:

- Implement appropriate strategies by working with the inter-professional team using a client centered approach, providing individual, family and group work services to clients
- Contribute to chart documentation, participate in chart review and case conferences and make referrals to other community services as appropriate
- Participate in the development, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of treatment, education, counselling and health promotion programs and services for individual, couples, families and the community served by the Centre
- Assist clients and community partners to build support networks
- Perform intake assessment, counselling/therapy and crisis intervention functions for individuals and families while managing caseloads effectively
- Plan, develop, coordinate and evaluate the specific services for adolescents and families affected by eating disorders
- Act as a resource person/client advocate to Centre staff, clients and community partners by compiling information on community resources and facilitate access to those resources by liaising with community groups
- Collaborate with weCHC staff and other community agencies to identify, recommend and/or develop resources and materials, and participate in delivery of programs and services
- Supervise graduate students in field placement practicum or internships, as requested
- Demonstrate a commitment to a safe environment for staff, clients and families by working in compliance with the weCHC related policies, health and safety regulations and completing mandated training and educational sessions as required.

SKILLS, KNOWLEDGE & EXPERIENCE REQUIRED

- Minimum 2-5 years recent experience in counselling/therapy working with the youth population, with preference to those who have worked in a community health setting
- Proficiency in current assessment, and psychological counselling techniques for working with individuals, families and the community
- Must have experience in program development, implementation, monitoring and evaluation.
- Experience working with youth affected by eating disorders an asset
- Adherence to the Code of Ethics and Standards of Practice of Social Work
- Proficient in typing, the use of computers and various software applications is required
- Strong communication and excellent interpersonal skills, combined with good analytical, problem solving, organizational and administrative skills
- Bilingual (English/French) language skills an asset
- Clean driver's abstract and a current and valid Class "G" Ontario Driver's License with reliable transportation to support travel Windsor-Essex County.

EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS

- Graduate degree (Masters of Social Work, MSW) from a recognized University in Social Work
- Member in good standing and current registration with the Ontario College of Social Workers and Social Service Workers.
- Completion of a Vulnerable Sector Check prior to commencing employment.

CLOSING DATE

Please email your resume and cover letter to hr@wechc.org no later than January 31, 2024. Include the posting number THSWED24AC in the subject line.