



# Child Development Counsellor

## CHILD DEVELOPMENT COUNSELLOR (3 FTEs), CHILD DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

Some people just have a knack for working with children and adolescents – and you’re one of them. Not only are you talented at delivering programming in community-based settings but your excellent relationship and rapport building skills position you as a game changer, specifically in the area of domestic violence prevention. The Child Development Counsellor is an expert facilitator of healthy childhood development evidence-based support for families impacted or at risk of being impacted by trauma.

### WHAT MOVES YOU

- Creating social inclusion by supporting families in our community
- Assist children and adolescents achieve stronger social, emotional and cognitive development
- You are research savvy and love to share best practices in your professional role

### WHAT YOU’LL DO

- Facilitate groups, workshops or one on one coaching sessions to provide families with information and tools related to early childhood development and effective skillful behaviours for parenting.
- Organize larger group events and educational activities aiming to increase community capacity building for families.
- Ensure complete, accurate and professional documentation meets the program, organizational and funder requirements.
- **Availability for evening and weekend work hours.**

### WHAT YOU’VE DONE

- Degree in Psychology, Social Work or Child and Youth Studies.
- Registration with appropriate regulatory body.
- **At least five years’ experience working and developing, planning and facilitating groups for young children with their parents/caregivers.**
- Solid understanding of trauma (specifically domestic violence).
- Solid understanding of child development (specifically brain development).
- **Experience delivering programming in community-based settings.**

**If you want to work to change lives, we want to meet you.**

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Competition Number: **2018107**

Deadline: **December 10<sup>th</sup>/2018**

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