



Family Support Worker

Family Support Worker – COMPASS Program- 1.0 FTE – One year contract

We provide in-home parenting education and support to parents to build healthy relationships and improve family functioning. Families are referred by other professionals when children (newborns – 12 years old) are experiencing behavioral, emotional and social challenges. You have experience with providing in-home parenting education and behavioural strategies, are great at problem solving and being creative in your approach with sharing your experience, knowledge and coaching skills. Being well rounded you're also detailed oriented, good at managing your time and always have your files & documentation complete.

WHAT MOVES YOU

- Working directly with parents in-home often presenting with complex issues
- Walking the path with families and supporting them through challenging times
- Mastering your work like a craft, continuously learning and sharpening your skills to be more effective and providing researched-based based information.
- Being independent in your day and schedule yet knowing you're supported by an awesome team
- Meaningful, life changing work!

WHAT YOU'LL DO

- Provide weekly in-home/or community Visits with parent(s)
- Provide parents with positive parenting strategies and skills and targeted behavioral strategies
- Liaise with other professionals involved with the families
- Maintain files and case notes
- ***Able to work two evenings a week***

WHAT YOU'VE DONE

- Degree or diploma in social work or equivalent in human service field
- **At least two years in-home experience providing parenting education, support, child development information (requires more than practicum experience only)**
- Valid Driver's license, reliable vehicle and first aid certificate

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

Deadline: April 17, 2019
Competition Number: **2019036**

Apply today with covering letter, salary expectations and resume to careers@ywcalgary.ca