

Employment Opportunity Full Time Physiotherapy Assistant

The London InterCommunity Health Centre seeks a dynamic **Physiotherapy Assistant** to join our clinical team dedicated to providing health care to those who experience barriers to care. This position offers a unique opportunity to make a difference in the lives of new immigrants and refugees, and those impacted by homelessness, mental illness, addiction, poverty, language barriers, and complex and/or chronic health conditions. The successful candidate will work in collaboration with the client, and other care team members, to thoroughly understand all aspects of the client's situation and provide high quality care aligned with the values of the Health Centre.

The Physiotherapy Assistant works as a member of an interdisciplinary clinical team of Physicians, Nurses, Physiotherapists, Social Workers, Dietitians, Outreach Workers, Community Developers and support staff specializing in the areas of Mental Health, Children, Youth & Families, Immigrants & Ethno-cultural Communities, Poverty & Homelessness, and Diabetes & Chronic Diseases.

Qualifications

- Diploma in Physiotherapy Assistant or degree in Kinesiology
- Three to five years of experience as a physiotherapy assistant, preferably in a community health setting;
- Awareness of, and understanding of, the social determinates of health;
- Commitment to the underlying principles of harm reduction;
- Ability to work with diverse communities with respect, sensitivity, creativity, innovation, cultural understanding, non-judgement and facilitation skills;
- Excellent written and oral communication skills;
- A commitment to working as a valued member of an interdisciplinary team;
- Ability to maintain complete and accurate records in accordance with the Health Centre's policies;
- Strong computer skills, including the use of MS Office Products and Electronic Medical Records (Telus Practice Solutions Suite is currently in use).
- Ability to speak French or other languages is considered an asset

This is a full-time permanent position, which includes a competitive salary, complimented with membership in the Healthcare of Ontario Pension Plan (HOOPP) as well as paid vacation and professional development time.

Qualified applicants are encouraged to apply for this position by forwarding a covering letter and resume by **Friday, June 7th at 4pm** to the attention of Adriana Diaz:

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The Health Centre is committed to hiring staff that reflect the diversity of the clients and community that we serve.

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