

Temporary Dementia Care Worker # 2023-035

Vacancies: 1 part-time temporary position, until nursing position can be filled.

Location: Parkview Place, Vanderhoof, BC

Hours of Work: 24 hours per week, Saturday & Sunday 7am to 7pm

Posting date: Sept 19, 2023

Closing Date: Until Filled

Start Date: ASAP

Salary: \$29.83 - \$32.31/hr Effective April 1, 2023

Job Summary

Aurora Home is an innovative and state of the art home for adults living with mild to moderate Dementia. It is a pilot project and the first of its kind in BC. The goal of Aurora Home is to assist the individuals to maintain their cognitive capacity and independence for as long as possible, before requiring more complex level of care home.

Under the direction of the Parkview Place Program Manager, the Dementia Care Worker is responsible for supporting seniors with mild to moderate stage Dementia as outlined in the individual's plan of care, with the goal of maximizing independence and maintaining cognitive ability within their home community. This position supports seniors with a variety of day-to-day physical, emotional, and social supports, advocacy, activities of daily living, medication support, meal preparation, socialization, household management, recreation, transportation, and tailored holistic care planning. With a goal to support and preserve functioning, maximize abilities, promote safety, and encourage independence.

Qualifications & Experience:

- Registered BC Care Aide & Community Health Worker required
- Food Safe course (Level 1), TB Test and valid first aid certificate with CPR (training can be provided as required)
- 2-years recent related experience, or an equivalent combination or education, training, and experience
- Must be sensitive to & respectful of cultural differences, differences in socio-economic status & lifestyle diversity.
- Knowledge of relevant socio-historical events relevant to Indigenous culture
- Intermediate Computer Skills (moderate understanding of operating systems, word processing, graphics, spreadsheets, databases)

Required:

- Valid class 5 driver's license & satisfactory drivers abstract
- COVID19 Fully Vaccinated (2 shots) required
- Criminal Record Check clearance
- This position requires union membership

Our Commitment to You:

We make significant investments in our people, which is why we take great care to hire those who we believe will thrive at Connexus. As a Connexus Team member, you can expect to be treated with dignity and respect, to be challenged with your work, and to have the autonomy necessary to excel.

- Benefits for part-time: Extended Health, Dental, Pension Plan, Paid Sick Days, LTD, Vacation 3 weeks + more
- Interesting and relevant training and development opportunities
- Connexus is an equal opportunity employer committed to hiring a diverse workforce.

How to Apply:

Please email a cover letter of interest and current resume outlining your skills and qualifications for the position and include the job posting number and please state which position you are applying for:

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