



MACDONALD YOUTH SERVICES
EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY
INTERNAL/ EXTERNAL

POSITION: Full-Time Youth Care Practitioner – Adolescent Resources In Community Homes

SUMMARY: Macdonald Youth Services requires a full-time Youth Care Practitioner for the Planning and Assessment Program within the Adolescent Resources in Community Homes Service to work with male adolescents with multi-issues in a 6 bed short term planning and assessment setting. The successful candidate will be required to work a variety of days, evenings, nights and weekends.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES: The successful candidate will be required to work as part of a multi-disciplinary team in providing a nurturing, caring and safe environment for male youth in a community home setting. The candidates will be expected to assist in the planning and assessment process with youth who demonstrate a wide range of social, emotional and behavioural difficulties.

QUALIFICATIONS NECESSARY TO DO THE JOB:

- Grade 12 (or equivalent) **and** a desire to work with youth;
- Current First Aid / CPR certificate is mandatory;
- Valid driver's license.

PREFERRED REQUIREMENTS:

- Child and Youth Care Diploma or Certificate or a Degree in an applicable Human Services field and at least one year of experience in the youth care field;
- Previous experience and knowledge of FASD;
- Knowledge of Suicide Intervention skills training preferred;
- Knowledge of aboriginal culture and language would be an asset.

SALARY RANGE: \$27,727.49 to \$41,106.27 per annum depending on qualifications, MYS offers a benefits and pension plan.

Please forward a covering letter, resume, quoting the competition number to:

Human Resources
Macdonald Youth Services,
175 Mayfair Avenue Winnipeg MB
FAX: (204) 284-4431 E-MAIL: careers@mys.mb.ca

CLOSING DATE: Interested candidates are requested to submit a resume by **12:00 noon October 14, 2011.**

COMPETITION NUMBER: 1815.10.11

MYS is committed to developing and retaining a diverse workforce. The successful candidate(s) will be required to complete a Child Abuse Registry check and Criminal Record check prior to starting employment. We thank all applicants for their interest but only those selected for an interview will be contacted. For further information about our other employment and volunteer opportunities please visit our website www.mys.ca.