



TL'AZT'EN HEALTH CENTER
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**Job Posting: Full Time Registered Nurse
Community Health Nurse
Position Open Until Filled**

Position Purpose: Under the medical supervision of a designated Nursing Management Supervisor and the administrative supervision of the Health Manager, the Community Health Nurse (CHN) provides a community health program to the Tl'azt'en community. The CHN will provide support and direction to other program staff on health-related issues.

Reports to: Health Manager

Qualifications:

- Member in good standing of the British Columbia College of Nursing Professionals (BCCNP)
- Registered Nurse from a Canadian University or recognized equivalent
- Experience in community-based setting an asset
- Valid Class 5 Driver's license and own vehicle
- Complete Criminal Record Check
- Current certification in Basic Life Support for Health Care Professionals

Responsibilities:

- Work as an integral part of the Health Centre team
- Data steward/Owner as per EMR Policy
- Develop, and implement and evaluate Community Health Programs to better meet the needs of the community
- Counseling parents in pre and post natal periods as needed, including post-partum home visits
- Provide referrals to CPNP and Maternal Child Health programs
- Administer a comprehensive immunization program for all age groups
- Conduct child health conferencing for infant and preschool children providing immunizations, age appropriate screening, developmental assessments, counseling and support to parents with appropriate referrals to other agencies
- Health Counseling to all age groups
- Carry out a comprehensive health program for Eugene Joseph Elementary School, Tl'azt'en Nursery and Daycare programs, including vision, hearing and development screening, immunizations, communicable disease screening



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- Act as a resource person for schools, childcare centre on health care education or issues
 - Distribute public health medications as directed by the Community Health Nursing Guidelines/Formulary and Health Policy Manual
 - Provide appropriate treatment and follow-up in the event of specific health issues/outbreaks
 - • Maintain accurate, up to date, confidential client files and ensure charting is complete and accurate
 - Provide Health Manager with monthly reports and provide data for annual reports
 - Oversee the health-related activities of other non-nursing staff as required
 - Liaises with physicians, social workers and other health professionals where appropriate (inclusive of staff members at the Medical clinic, Hospital and pharmacy)
 - Stay up to date with current health issues, trends and innovations. Provide guidance and information to the Health Manager on health-related issues
 - Provide an annual report to the Tl'azt'en membership.
 - Provide ongoing, relevant, timely education to community
 - Attend professional development training, workshops, conferences, and meetings to ensure a high quality of care and information.
 - Keep all certification requirements up to date
 - Purchase and monitoring of medical supplies and equipment.
 - Participate in community events when and where appropriate.
 - Other activities related to the health of the community members as requested by the Health Manager

Position Requirements:

- Degree in Nursing from an approved Canadian College/University
- Knowledge/Experience in Community Health nursing
- Registered with the College of Registered Nurses of BC (CRNBC)
- Hold a valid Class 5 BC Driver's License.
- Willing to learn about the language and culture of the Carrier people.
- Annual performance review

Wage:

The HCN will be paid in accordance with current FNHA Wage Grid guidelines for RNs working in community.

***Please submit your cover letter and references to Health Manager @
health.director@tlazten.bc.ca.***