



HAILIKA'AS HEILTSUK HEALTH CENTRE SOCIETY



JOB POSTING

Job Title: Community Health Nurse
Department: Community Health
Reports To: Health Director
Type: 1 year term
Hourly Wage: \$95,000 - \$120,000

PURPOSE

The Community Health Nurse (CHN) is responsible for providing public health and nursing services to the community of Bella Bella while supporting the delivery of community health programs and services.

The Community Health Nurse works with Medical Health Officers, BCCDC, FNIHB-CDC, local physicians, and other health professionals to support the prevention, treatment, monitoring, and containment of communicable diseases in accordance with public health legislation, policies, and standards.

The Community Health Nurse provides health education, assessments, interventions, and follow-up care while collaborating with nursing staff and other health care providers to support the ongoing health and wellness of the community.

KEY DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Provide communicable disease (CD) nursing services, including assessment, treatment, follow-up, and client education.
- Deliver immunization services in accordance with BCCDC guidelines, including school and community clinics.
- Maintain vaccine storage, cold chain, and accurate documentation of vaccine temperatures.
- Participate in influenza clinics and support outbreak and pandemic response activities.
- Conduct TB screening, follow-up, and directly observed therapy (DOT) as required.
- Provide HIV counseling and testing services.
- Investigate and report suspected or confirmed communicable diseases in collaboration with public health partners.
- Assist with outbreak response, contact tracing, and implementation of public health measures.
- Collect and process clinical specimens related to communicable disease control.
- Provide client education on infection prevention, health promotion, and communicable disease prevention.
- Support family planning education and provide related resources as required.
- Ensure accurate documentation and reporting to BCCDC, FNHA/FNIH, and regional health authorities.
- Promote environmental and infection control practices to ensure safe clinic operations.
- Participate in workplace safety and ensure compliance with infection control policies and procedures.



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- Conduct routine checks of clinic equipment and report maintenance needs.
- Support program planning and delivery of community health initiatives.
- Collaborate with physicians, Medical Health Officers, and community health partners.
- Maintain professional nursing practice in accordance with regulatory standards and ethical guidelines.
- Participate in ongoing professional development and training.
- Perform other related duties as required.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Bachelor's degree in nursing.
- Must be licensed as Registered Nurse in British Columbia.
- Minimum 2 years' experience in community health and 2 additional experience in acute care.
- Valid driver's licence.
- Satisfactory criminal record check, including vulnerable sector screening.

BENEFIT PACKAGE:

- Extended health care (Dental, Vision, LTD, Life).
- Pension Plan.
- Wellness and Cultural days.
- Paid time off, including an additional 2-week office closure during the winter break

HOW TO APPLY

Send your resume and cover letter to humanresources@heiltsukhealth.com.