



JOB POSTING

Family Support Worker

Part Time (Contract – 1 year)

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Date Posted: November 27, 2015

Application Deadline: January 15, 2016

Location: Greater Toronto Area (Toronto - Danforth, Scarborough, Thornhill, Richmond Hill, Maple, Markham, Stouffville)

Availability: Must be flexible and willing to work, afternoons, evenings, weekends, winter break, march break, PA days and summer break.

Position Summary:

The Family Support Worker is responsible for working directly with individuals (5 to 18 years of age) with a developmental disability in the home setting, on community outings and in child care centers to implement individual programs.

Responsibilities:

- Provide personal care assistance (washroom routine, feeding, dressing)
- Assist clients to use adapted devices (Go Talk, Flip Talk, iPad or Visual/ PECS Binder)
- Provide extra 1 to 1 support to families during community outings and doctor visits
- Collect detailed data through behavioral observations and associated record keeping
- Provide opportunities to generalize client skills across settings
- Tutor clients in the following subjects; math, science, language
- Work independently and as part of a dynamic team environment
- Assist during workshops, community events and program set-up

Qualifications:

- Hold or working towards a diploma in a related field (ECE, RT, CWY)
- Experience working with children and adolescence with developmental disabilities
- Knowledge of applied behavioral analysis would be an asset
- Excellent customer service allowing for the development of positive, trusting relationships
- An understanding of the cultural and diversity issues in the Greater Toronto Area
- Must have strong communication skills (written & verbal)
- Crisis Prevention and Intervention certification is an asset
- Standard First Aid and CPR certification
- Current criminal reference check with vulnerable sector screening
- A valid driver's license, insurance and own vehicle is required

Interested applicants are encouraged to e-mail resumes to jennifer@steppingstonescfs.ca or Fax to 905-591-2625

Only applicants selected for an interview will be contacted.

Please provide at least 3 references

