



CAREER OPPORTUNITY

DIRECTOR OF HEALTH

(Full-time Position)

Thunderchild First Nation (TCFN) is seeking a highly motivated, organized and experienced leader to oversee and lead our Department of Health. Reporting to the Director of Operations, this position is responsible for all aspects of Health program and service delivery and the management of teams. He/She is responsible for program planning, implementation, administration and staff. He/she is a proven leader with a successful track record in health delivery, experience in program management at the First Nation health level and ability to collaborate strategically with other departments and stakeholders to ensure community members receive the highest quality of care and service delivery.

Primary Areas of Responsibility:

- Ensure compliance with the terms and conditions of the Health Agreement with Health Canada;
- Responsible for the management and administration of the following programs and services: Aboriginal Diabetes Initiatives, Brighter Futures/Injury Prevention, Building health Communities-Solvent Abuse, Mental Health, Canada Prenatal Nutrition Program (CPNP), Communicable Disease Control/Immunization, NIHB Community Dental Health Program, Oral Health Strategy, Community Health Services, Environmental Health - safe drinking water program, FASD, HIV AIDS, Home and Community Care (FNIH and INAC), Maternal Child Health, NIHB Medical Transportation, National Aboriginal Youth Suicide Prevention Strategy, Nursing Professional Education, NNADAP, Youth, Sport and Recreation, Awasis Nikan Youth Center, and Daycare;
- In collaboration with staff, provide direction and coordination for Health education and facilitation to community members in respective areas;
- Work cooperatively with regional, provincial agencies to ensure improvements are made to the health care system in TCFN
- Other related duties.

Qualifications & Skill Set:

- Post-secondary Degree in Administration, Public Health or related area
- First Aid/CPR certification (preferred);
- Valid Driver's License;
- Clear Criminal Records Check (CPIC);
- Strong computer literacy skills;
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills,
- Ability to think critically and possess strong facilitation and presentation skills, time management;
- Commitment to health promotion & prevention, community development with a focus on holistic health
- Previous work experience in a First Nation community;
- Ability to speak and/or understand the Cree language and the Cree culture; and,
- Training and/or Certification in any complimentary therapies;

Application Deadline: until position is filled

Please apply by submitting a cover letter and detailed resume to:

Director of Operations, Thunderchild First Nation

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We appreciate your interest, however, only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.