**REHABILITATION CENTRE FOR CHILDREN**

**JOB OPPORTUNITY**

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| **Bulletin No.: 18-024** | **Department:**  **Rehabilitation Services – Occupational Therapy** | **Date:**  **July 10, 2018** |
| **Position: MAHCP – Occupational Therapist – – 1.0 EFT -Term** | **Reports To:**  **Director of Rehabilitation and Clinical Services** | **Start Date:**  **August 20, 2018 or earlier if available** |

**Responsibilities:**

The Rehabilitation Centre for Children is a community based health care facility providing services

to children with special needs and their families in Manitoba and surrounding areas.

The Rehabilitation Centre for Children requires an OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST to provide service to infants, children and youth referred for therapy services at SSCY Centre. The Occupational Therapist acts as a resource person to other health care professionals and to the community. Client populations include cerebral palsy, neuromuscular and neurological conditions, autism spectrum disorder, feeding disorders and children requiring the use of assistive technologies. The Occupational Therapist supports families in Manitoba, Northwestern Ontario, Nunavut and Saskatchewan as required.

The Occupational Therapist utilizes advanced skills and knowledge and performs at a high level of independence as a clinical practitioner, leader, consultant and educator. Practices are in accordance with RCC policy and professional standards. This includes:

* Collaboration with all healthcare providers and community agencies who are involved with the child
* Ongoing liaison with the child's caregivers
* Assessment, intervention and development of goals with child and family.
* Participation in continuous quality improvement, research, client and staff education initiatives

**Education, Licenses, Registration & Experience:**

* Degree in Occupational Therapy
* Licensure by the College of Occupational Therapists of Manitoba
* Excellent interpersonal skills.
* Physical fitness for lifting and bending and handling children.
* Advanced written and verbal communication skills.
* Ability to work effectively both independently and within an inter-disciplinary team.
* Minimum of three years recent clinical experience in pediatric occupational therapy is required. Specialized experience in the areas of cerebral palsy, feeding disorders, neurological and neuromuscular conditions is an asset.
* Employment is subject to criminal records and child abuse registry checks.

**Hours of Work:** Monday to Friday 37.7 Hours per week with some flexibility of hours/days worked related to scheduling demands.

**Salary:** As per MAHCP collective agreement and commensurate with experience

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| **Apply in Writing to:**  **Barb Borton, Director of Rehabilitation and Clinical Services**  **1155 Notre Dame Avenue**  **Winnipeg, MB R3E 3G1 email: bborton@rccinc.ca** | **Closing Date:**  **July 17, 2017** |