REHABILITATION CENTRE FOR CHILDREN

**JOB OPPORTUNITY**

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| **Bulletin No: 21-055** | **Department:**Outreach Therapy Services | **Posting Date:**August 17, 2021 |
| **Position:**Occupational TherapistJordan’s Principle – preference for Brandon area location | **Reports to:**Director of Outreach Therapy Services | **Start Date:**ASAP |
| **Job Type:****Unionized**  | **Employee Group:**MAHCP  | **EFT: .8 – 1.0 EFT Term to August 2022** |

**Responsibilities:**

The Rehabilitation Centre for Children (RCC) is a community-based health care facility providing services to children with special needs and their families. The Rehabilitation Centre for Children requires an Occupational Therapist who will work in collaboration with West Region Tribal Health Services (WRTHS) and communities to support case managers in the 7 WRTHS communities to incorporate therapy programming into the Jordan’s Principle community program. This individual would support knowledge translation, create schedules for activities and programming, respond to questions by community teams, and support community programs with themes and other creative activities, including Facebook programming. This position would also provide education to the communities as needed and will help to support the clinicians working in communities to allow them to work more closely with the children and families on their caseloads. Travel will be required. Some community travel may require overnight stays.

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

* Collaboration with West Region Tribal Health Services to support the 7 Jordan’s Principle communities within the region.
* Participation in program development as requested by WRTHS and / or communities within WRTHS
* Participation in continuous quality improvement 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 clients
* Advanced written and verbal communication skills
* Ability to work effectively both independently and within an inter-disciplinary team
* Minimum of two years recent clinical experience in pediatric occupational therapy is preferred
* Preference for experience working within Jordan’s Principle
* Employment is subject to criminal records and child abuse registry checks

**Hours of Work:** Monday to Friday – 7.5 hours per day

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

RCC is strongly committed to equity and diversity and especially welcomes applications from indigenous peoples, persons with disabilities, racialized persons, persons of all sexual orientations and genders and others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas.

Accommodations are available on request for candidates taking part in all aspects of the selection process. If you require accommodation supports during the recruitment process, please contact: Kizzy Phillips. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply.

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| **Apply in Writing to:**Kizzy Phillips, HR Specialist1155 Notre Dame AveWinnipeg, MB R3E 3G1Email:kizzyp@rccinc.ca | **Closing Date:**August 24, 2021 |