

Northwest Child Development Centre

Working together with families, collaborating with communities, strengthening the region

Developmental Consultant (0-8 years old) Family Connection Centre – Smithers, BC, with outreach to our service area. Part Time / Permanent (30 hours per week) Compensation: \$38.50 - \$46.85 Start date: ASAP. Open until filled.

Job Summary:

The Developmental Consultant works as a member of a family-centered interdisciplinary team providing comprehensive services for children with support needs and their families. The Consultant provides education, support, and service coordination for families. The position is located at our Smithers Regional Office, with outreach to our service area – Houston, the Hazelton's and all communities West to Gitanyow.

Qualifications:

- Degree or relevant training in Social Work, Child and Youth Care, Psychology, Education, or related field; or a combination of education and experience.
- Sound knowledge of child development from birth to 8 years.
- Strong trauma-informed and culturally safe practice skills.
- Experience working with children with support needs and their families.
- Knowledge and experience working in Indigenous Communities.
- Previous experience working in Interdisciplinary teams.
- Clear criminal record check
- Full driver's license and reliable vehicle

Experience:

- Knowledge of best practices, prevention and intervention skills, services, and abilities to provide support groups including parent-to-parent, community education and knowledge of current community services.
- Effective communication and interpersonal skills.
- Experience working with families in a family-centered approach and with a team of service providers.
- Group facilitation and organizational skills.
- Knowledge of appropriate community, regional, provincial, and federal resources for children with support needs and their families.

Our organization is committed to engaging with recent graduates and those who do not directly have child development experience – please apply!

NWCDC thanks all interested applicants, only those chosen for an interview will be contacted. Do you require accommodation during the recruitment process? Please let us know. NWCDC is committed to diversity and inclusion throughout the recruitment and employment process.

Please apply by email, with resume and cover letter to: Kerri Bassett, Executive Director at <u>hr@nwcdc.ca</u>

