

Child & Youth Care Team Lead Job ID #1055667

Child and Youth Care Worker 2

Alberta Children's Services, Lac La Biche. The Government of Alberta is committed to a diverse and inclusive public service that reflects the population we serve to best meet the needs of Albertans. Consider joining a team where diversity, inclusion and innovation are valued and supported. For more information on diversity and inclusion, please visit: <https://www.alberta.ca/diversity-inclusion-policy.aspx>

A successful society is defined by its people and the opportunities available for them to fully and actively participate in all aspects of life and provide for themselves and/or their families. The Department of Children's Services works alongside the Department of Community and Social Services to foster a society, in which families are secure and resilient, individuals have safe, sustainable employment, vulnerable Albertans have the supports they require, and no one is left behind. You can be part of helping us make a difference!

The Department of Children's Services leads child care & intervention, early childhood development, foster & kinship care, adoption, and improvements for children & youth.

To find out more about our work visit: <https://www.alberta.ca/ministry-childrens-services.aspx>

Lac La Biche is located approximately 220 kilometres northeast of Edmonton. The Lac La Biche area has a long and colourful history. The Lac La Biche Region is a little piece of paradise boasting more than 100 lakes and offering 70% of Alberta's Class A beaches. Learn more about Lac La Biche by visiting: <http://www.laclabicheregion.com/>

The Lac La Biche Youth Assessment Centre (YAC) is looking for a qualified individual to fill the role of Team Leader. You will be responsible for the implementation, coordination and supervision of resident treatment plans to ensure that the treatment, counselling and life skills development requirements of youth in residential care are being met. The Team Leader ensures that the planned and approved treatments and therapies are implemented through the Child & Youth Care Workers that meets safety and security requirements.

As a supervisor, your duties will also include: assigning work and activities, monitoring and assessing impact and group dynamics, providing leadership, implementing and orientating staff to daily routines appraising and evaluating staff performance and providing for training, growth and development. You will be responsible for day-to-day implementation of the program and delivery of services to youth by ensuring a treatment plan is in place for each youth and that planning conferences are carried out in accordance to established procedures. In this position you will also ensure all the physical needs, care and nurturing of youths are met through and with subordinate staff. The ability to work shift work and be available on call will be a requisite with some weekend work required.

Salary: \$2,328.37 - \$3,005.14 Bi-weekly. Closing Date: Open till Suitable Candidate. Job ID #1055667

Qualifications: A related diploma or related degree plus 3 years progressively responsible related experience in child care work. Experience working with youth in a residential treatment setting or working with Aboriginal children would be an asset. Experience supervising staff would be preferred.

Notes:

- Shift and weekend work are required, with the shifts being 7.75 hours per day.
- Final candidates will be required to undergo a security screening. Due to wait times to receive a completed Criminal Records Check (CRC) that includes Vulnerable Sector screening check, applicants that are invited for an interview are encouraged to request a completed CRC (level 1) that includes Vulnerable Sector screening check from their local RCMP/Police detachment prior to their interview. The CRC will only need to be provided upon request.
- The final candidate(s) will be required to have a valid Class 5 Alberta Driver's license.
- The final candidates will be asked to undergo a Child Intervention Check and an Academic Check.
- Successful candidates must be prepared to complete and maintain training in Standard First Aid, CPR, Aboriginal awareness, high-risk de-escalation and suicide intervention.
- This competition may be used to fill future vacancies at the Lac La Biche Youth Assessment Centre.
- Candidates with lesser qualifications may be considered at a lower classification and salary.

Online applications are preferred via www.jobs.alberta.ca

Indeed.ca Users: You will not be able to apply via Indeed's website. You must go directly to www.jobs.alberta.ca

Applicants are advised to provide information that clearly and concisely demonstrates how their qualifications meet the advertised requirements, including education, experience and relevant examples of required competencies.

As only one file can be uploaded, please ensure your cover letter, resume and any other related documents are submitted in one file. Please ensure that this document is saved using the naming convention of your last then first name (Smith,Joe_Resume). Applicants who apply Online will be able to track the status of this competition.

If you are unable to apply online, please contact (780) 324-3202. It is recommended that applicants who have obtained educational credentials from outside of Canada and have not had them previously assessed, obtain an evaluation of their credentials from the International Qualifications Assessment Service (IQAS) - <http://work.alberta.ca/immigration/international-qualifications-assessment-service.html> It is recommended that applicants include the assessment certificate from IQAS or any other educational assessment service as part of their application.

We thank all applicants for their interest. All applications will be reviewed to determine which candidates' education and experience best meets the needs of the position. Only individuals selected for interviews will be contacted.

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