

Personal Support Worker (PSW)

The Canadian Mental Health Association – Cochrane Timiskaming Branch is currently recruiting a Personal Support Worker (PSW) for its Timmins office.

In keeping with CMHA Cochrane Timiskaming Branch's Mission, Vision, and Values, the Personal Support Worker provides a variety of non-clinical care services for clients as part of their plan in achieving desired goals or outcomes and that aid in the rehabilitation and recovery process. The PSW provides services in the clients' homes or in places where they spend their time in the community. The position is designed to complement the spectrum of services available through the clients' participation in CMHA-CT's mental health programs.

Qualifications:

1. Personal Support Worker certificate or equivalent, preferable with experience in community mental health work;
2. An understanding of mental illness and the ability to engage and work with a broad age group of clients with diverse and complex issues;
3. Understanding of and ability to work within professional and ethical guidelines;
4. Highly effective oral, written, and interpersonal communication skills;
5. Ability to meet tight deadlines and work in a fast-paced, often pressured, environment;
6. Valid driver's license from the province of Ontario and use of a reliable vehicle for work purposes;
7. The ability to provide services according to a work schedule determined by the employer and according to the needs of the individuals served.

For a complete job description, please contact Human Resources by e-mail at humanresources@cmhact.ca. This is a permanent full-time unionized position, located in Timmins. Shift work (including weekends) will be required for this position. We offer a comprehensive compensation program and the opportunity to work alongside a team of energetic and spirited employees who are committed to improving the lives of those who rely on us for support.

Interested candidates should submit a cover letter and resume focused on personal achievements relevant to the position to: humanresources@cmhact.ca

For more about the Canadian Mental Health Association – Cochrane Timiskaming Branch and the important work we do, visit us at www.cmhact.ca.

Please advise Human Resources if you will require accommodation in accordance with the Ontario Human Rights Code or the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act in order to properly participate. We would be pleased to assist you.

We thank all applicants for their interest in this employment opportunity. We will contact those candidates who are invited to participate in an interview.