



**Frontline Shelter Worker - Full Time, Maternity Leave
Violence Against Women Prevention Program
Wage: \$24.97 – \$27.39/hour/per day**

Manitoulin Family Resources requires one frontline shelter worker – full time, maternity leave, to support women and children in our emergency residence/shelter program. The shelter worker provides support, crisis intervention, and advocacy to women and children residing at the shelter, as well as telephone counselling and support through crisis line coverage. As a single-staff model of operation in a residential environment, responsibilities pertaining to health and safety in a fast-paced atmosphere and household duties such as cooking and cleaning are required in addition to the provision of individual counselling support, in-house client workshops, safety assessments, and navigation to other services.

The successful candidate will have:

- Relevant post-secondary education (degree or diploma, or in progress), or equivalent training/experience working with victims of woman abuse.
- Familiarity with provision of client-led, trauma informed services and harm reduction philosophy.
- Excellent interpersonal, planning, and communication skills, experience with data entry and computer skills,
- Ability to apply an intersectional feminist framework that identifies women's relation to social systems
- Demonstrated commitment to diversity, cultural competency, and anti-racist/anti-oppressive frameworks.
- Current CPR/First Aid certification, Food Handler's Safety certificate, valid driver's license, insurable driver's abstract, and Vulnerable Sector Screening are conditions of hire and ongoing requirements.
- Registration with the College of Social Workers and Social Service Workers is an asset, as is second language fluency in Ojibway and/or French.

This position is a bargaining unit position. Flexibility in scheduling will be required *to* meet the needs of the shelter including, though not exclusive to, nights and weekends. The full time position is committed to working 36.75 hours per week, averaged over the scheduling period. Shifts will be both pre-scheduled and on a call-in basis, per the Collective Agreement. The position is based out of Haven House in Mindemoya.

We strive to foster an organization that reflects the diversity of the community we serve and welcome applications from all qualified candidates. We encourage applications from individuals from underserved and underrepresented cultural and racial communities, from First Nations, Inuit and Metis communities, Two-Spirit, LGBTQIA+ communities, and people living with disabilities, and those with lived experience of abuse, food insecurity, homelessness, mental health difficulties and addictions. If you require an accommodation, we will work with you to meet your accommodation needs to ensure your equal participation.

Deadline for applications: Friday February 23, 2024, 11:59 PM

Please forward applications to:

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