

Choices for Youth

Community Youth Worker Supportive Housing Program

Choices for Youth invites applications for the position of Community Youth Worker with the Supportive Housing program. The Supportive Housing program works with up to 45 youth who are eligible for services to address housing and personal issues. Working as part of a team, the Community Youth Worker provides direct services and supports to youth to assist and empower them in making decisions around daily living and transitioning to independent living. The major responsibilities for the position include supportive services to youth (personal, financial, housing and employment/education), advocacy, home visits, community engagement, file and record management as well as other related duties as required.

Qualifications:

Preference will be given to candidates with a degree in the social sciences field. Knowledge of youth and youth issues, homelessness and programs and supports for at risk youth are required for this position. The ability to work within an empowerment philosophy utilizing principles of harm reduction and a non-judgmental approach are essential. The use of a vehicle is a requirement for this position.

Compensation:

Choices for Youth offers a competitive wage and benefits package. The annual salary for this position is based on GS-31 Step 1 (\$41, 865).

Interested applicants should submit a detailed resume on or before Friday, November 27, 2009 to:

Coordinator of Housing Programs
Choices for Youth
12-16 Carter's Hill Place
St. John's, NL.
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Email: info@choicesforyouth.ca in word format.

Choices for Youth thanks all applicants for their interest in this position but only those individuals selected for an interview will be contacted.