



# 2-SPIRITED PEOPLE OF THE 1<sup>st</sup> NATIONS

## Support Service Worker (ASAP)

2-Spirited People of the 1st Nations

105 Front St E, Suite 105, Toronto, ON, M5A 1E3

Full-time Permanent · \$45,000 to 50,000 year

### Description

#### FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

2-Spirited People of the 1st Nations provides prevention, education and support for two-spirit, including First Nations, Métis and Inuit people living with or at risk for HIV and related co-infections in the Greater Toronto Area. We base our work on Indigenous philosophies of holistic health and wellness. Our future shows a strong, healthy and independent two-spirit community in Toronto where HIV infections are rare and two-spirit people live with pride in their Indigenous heritage.

#### SUPPORT SERVICE WORKER:

The Support Service Worker is responsible for providing support and practical services to people living with and affected by HIV/AIDS and those at risk. This is a hands-on role with strong visibility in the community, responding to client requests for support/practical assistance and, working with agency volunteers to help deliver the services. The incumbent will assist in determining community needs and then evaluating the effectiveness of the support/practical services. This role will develop and implement ideas to best promote the services.

- Experience with support/practical service programs is required.
- This role involves community outreach, driving clients to appointments, assisting with culturally appropriate supports, collaborating with the Client Care Coordinator and assisting with intake.
- At least one year of practical support experience.
- It is important for the person in this role to understand the importance of reclaiming of two-spirit health in conjunction with language, culture, traditions and identity within the immediate and broader two-spirit and HIV/AIDS community.
- Excellent knowledge of Aboriginal history, cultures and traditions is required.

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- Ability to speak an Aboriginal language is an asset. **Valid Driver's License Required** to drive agency's van.

The anticipated starting salary range for this role is \$45,000 to 50,000.

*Closing date October 19, 2018*

Please send you resume and cover letter to: [director@2spirits.org](mailto:director@2spirits.org)