



Vision of Hope Resource Centre

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COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT WORKER

0.6 FTE, One-year contract with renewal possibility)

Vision of Hope Resource Centre (VOHRC) is a community-based organization which has served communities in East Brampton and surrounding Peel Region more than 10 years. Situated in ethnically diverse communities, VOHRC is committed to creating a healthy and empowered community where all people thrive. VOHRC provides a range of programs and services for families, youth, seniors, children and individuals., VOHRC actively works to improve well-being and reduce accessibility barriers that impact quality of life.

Vision of Hope Resource Centre is seeking an experienced Community Engagement Worker who are willing to make a commitment to the goals and principles of the organization and implement these principles within our programs and services. The incumbent will be responsible for community programs, with a focus on meaningful community outreach and engagement of Seniors, Children, Youth, and Adult. The Community Engagement Worker will report to the Program Director and will work closely with staff to ensure delivery and growth of programs. Work is currently in-person and some virtual.

Responsibilities

- Design, implement and facilitate culturally relevant programs and services for community residents (seniors, youth, children, family and individual)
- Supervising and providing leadership and support to volunteers and students
- Establish and build partnerships and meaningful relationships with key stakeholders – residents, community agencies, partners, and funders.
- Working effectively with colleagues to ensure that VOHRC is effectively represented with various stakeholders' clients, partners, funders etc
- Support the development and promotion of VOHRC programs and activities
- Make referrals to other relevant community resources, programs and services
- Write funder reports, program plans and create systems to monitor program outcomes
- Develop and strengthen alliances with other community partners for the delivery of programs that respond to the needs of participants
- Lead community engagement activities and events as directed
- Other duties as required.

Required Skills & Qualifications:

(BSW or MSW) in Community Development, Social Work (post secondary qualification preferred), a relevant field or equivalent experience

- A minimum of 2 years experience in similar role working with clients from varying populations (i.e., Black, racialized, marginalized and under-resourced communities) is essential.

- Understanding of Anti-Black Racism and the issues facing diverse Black communities
- Experience in working with Black, African and/or South Asian communities an asset
- Excellent group facilitation and training skills
- Experienced self-starter and independent worker
- Proven experience in report writing, data collection and documentation of program outcomes
- High level of integrity, confidentiality, accountability.
- Able to effectively communicate both verbally and in writing.
- Ability to jump start and grow programs and services from the ground up
- Languages other than English an asset
- Intermediate skills in Microsoft Office (Word, Outlook, PowerPoint, Excel)
- Clear Criminal reference check and valid CPR/First Aid

Application deadline Date: March 8th, 2024

Remuneration: \$45,000- \$50,000 annually

Please submit your cover letter and resume to:

E-mail: visionofhoperc@gmail.com attention Hiring department

We thank all applicants for their interest.

Regretfully, only short-listed candidates will be contacted