



COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH WORKER

Part-Time

If you are looking for a career working with amazing people while helping your community thrive, then this opportunity is for you and we want to hear from you. We urge individuals that have retired, semi-retired, are returning to the workforce, those that are new to Canada, and recent graduates to also apply. At Good Shepherd, we are dedicated to building a diverse, inclusive, equal and authentic workplace.

About Good Shepherd

The work of Good Shepherd is based on a fundamental belief in providing hope and restoring dignity to the most vulnerable members of our community. Our services include emergency food and clothing; daily hot meals; emergency shelters for men, youth, families, women and children; transitional housing and education for homeless and street-involved youth; hospice palliative care; community mental health programs; and supportive housing programs. This opportunity is with our Good Shepherd – Mathias Place.

Why Work with Good Shepherd?

- Be a part of a caring **TEAM THAT SUPPORTS OUR LOCAL COMMUNITY**
- **POSITIVE** and **ENCOURAGING** atmosphere
- **EMPLOYEE AND FAMILY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**
- Wellness Program
- Make a difference and provide **HOPE**

Job Description

In this role, you will work to make a difference in the lives of tenants living at Mathias Place.

- Provide tenants with primary case management and community resources
- Services to tenants include assessment & planning
- Provide crisis prevention and intervention and supportive counseling
- Demonstrate commitment to the Good Shepherd mission values of Hospitality, Responsibility, Availability, Adaptability, Quality and Dignity

Qualifications

- Primary case management and community development skills acquired through a post-secondary education in social or health services
- Three years' experience in mental health, and concurrent disorders is required as well as a 'recovery orientation' and 'consumer driven' style of practice
- Additional skills required are the ability to work independently and think creatively
- Ability to speak French and/or other languages considered an asset
- CPR certification or willingness to be certified is required
- Adhere to working and operating within an anti-racism and anti-oppression framework
- Must be able to work weekends (Saturdays and Sundays)

Don't Meet Every Requirement?

If you are excited about this role and Good Shepherd's Mission but your past experience doesn't perfectly align with all of our qualifications, we encourage you to apply anyway.

How Can I Apply?

Please apply with resume quoting job number OS-06-23 to Melissa Jackson, Program Manager
mjackson@gsch.ca

**Due to overwhelming response, only those selected to be interviewed will be contacted. For additional opportunities please visit us on indeed or on our website www.goodshepherdcentres.ca*

Our Values

Hospitality, as inspired by St. John of God is at the heart of Good Shepherd's mission. This means that we welcome all people with compassion, acceptance and a spirit of generosity; creating opportunities for transformation.

Hospitality embodies our **Values** of:

- **Responsibility**
- **Availability**
- **Adaptability**
- **Quality**
- **Dignity**

Good Shepherd, a ministry of the Hospitaller Order of St. John of God, is an equal opportunity employer operating within an anti-racist and anti-oppression framework. We strive to establish workplaces that reflect and are enhanced by the rich diversity of the community we serve.

Good Shepherd welcomes and encourages applications from all people with disabilities. Accommodations are available on request for candidates taking part in all aspects of the selection process. If you need accommodations, please contact Human Resources at 905-528-5877 ex 2265.

Good Shepherd has a mandatory verification of COVID-19 vaccination policy. More information on the full policy requirements and accommodation allowances will be provided to those selected for an interview.

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