



Professional Employment Opportunity

AWASIS AGENCY OF NORTHERN MANITOBA
UNIT/OFFICE: Thompson Central Office (TCO)
LOCATION: To be determined (Tbd)

Position: **Child Abuse Investigator**
One (1) Full Time Permanent position

Summary of Position:

As a member of the Child Abuse Prevention team, the Child Abuse Investigator provides a full range of intake and abuse investigation services for the communities serviced by Awasis Agency. This position works with individuals, families, advocates, service providers and external collaterals to investigate allegations of child abuse. Requiring a high level of critical analysis, the incumbent is knowledgeable of the relevant legislation and Awasis Agency's policies and practices. Dealing with very sensitive information, the Child Abuse Investigator understands, and is committed to maintain confidentiality. The work is performed with diverse people, so strong interpersonal communication skills are necessary, as are the skills to be flexible, adaptable, and resourceful.

Qualifications:

- BSW, or in progress of attaining a BSW in combination with relevant experience.
- 3+ years' experience within the child welfare field.
- Knowledge of Child & Family Services (CFS) legislation, standards, and regulations.
- Experience with using the CFSIS database, including IM an asset.
- A valid drivers' license and access to a reliable vehicle.
- Knowledge of, or work experience in northern Manitoba communities preferred.
- Demonstrated understanding and respect for Indigenous culture.
- Ability to speak Cree or Dene an asset.

Working Conditions:

- Fast-paced, community-based, multi-disciplinary child welfare environment.
- Provide satisfactory Criminal Record, Child Abuse Registry and Prior Contact checks prior to starting the position, and throughout employment as required.
- Overtime may be required.
- Up to 75% overnight and remote travel by car, plane, and train required.

Salary: Awasis Agency offers a competitive salary and employee benefit package. Salary will commensurate with education and experience

Closing Date: Thursday, November 24, 2022

Awasis Agency provides service to Indigenous children and families, therefore preference will be given to Indigenous applicants. Applicants are encouraged to self-identify. Individuals interested in this challenging opportunity please reference **Competition Number 2022-092 on your resume/cover letter and in the subject line of your email** in confidence to:

Human Resources Department
Awasis Agency of Northern Manitoba
Competition #2022-092
701 Thompson Drive
Thompson, MB R8N 2A2
Fax: 204-778-8428
Email: hr@awasisagency.ca

We thank all applicants who apply, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

Applicants may request reasonable accommodation related to the materials or activities used throughout the selection process.

****Note: Awasis Agency Vaccination policy mandate: fully vaccinated plus booster**