# Macdonald Youth Services

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# **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

## INTERNAL/EXTERNAL

POSITION: Casual MCT Clinician - Mobile Crisis Team - Youth Crisis Stabilization System

**CLOSING DATE: Ongoing** 

**SUMMARY:** Macdonald Youth Services requires a Casual Clinician for the Mobile Crisis Team to work collaboratively with all components of the Youth Crisis Stabilization System program by providing service to youth in crisis. As part of a front-line, 24-hour crisis response team, this individual will assist in delivering crisis services to families or caregivers who require contact with the Mobile Crisis Team.

**DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:** The Clinician is expected to take a leading role in the development of treatment planning and crisis intervention to families in crisis; conduct mental status exams and safety assessments; asses the need for internal and external services as appropriate; internal and external communication, and, consultation regarding specific therapeutic issues; documentation for internal and external agency requirements.

### **ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENTS:**

- Undergraduate Degree in Human Services, plus a minimum of four (4) years work experience in a supervised clinical setting;
- Advanced Certificate in Children's Mental Health would be an asset;
- Eligibility for membership or member in good standing of relevant professional association or licensing body
- Minimum 3 years work experience in a clinical setting under clinical supervision with children and adolescents and their families
- Ability to administer mental status exam, working knowledge of diagnostic categories, and suicide/risk assessment skills required
- Good written/verbal communication skills
- Excellent interpersonal skills
- Current First Aid/CPR certification is mandatory
- Non-violent crisis intervention (NVCI), Suicide Intervention training and Child Development or commitment of certification as per MYS policy
- Valid driver's license (class 5) and clear drivers abstract.

# PREFERRED REQUIREMENTS:

- Experience dealing with crisis and children's mental health issues would be considered an asset;
- Knowledge of aboriginal culture and language would be an asset.

Applicants must demonstrate in their resume or cover letter how they meet the requirements of the position. Please forward a covering letter, resume, quoting the competition number to:

**Human Resources** 

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**COMPETITION NUMBER: 906.00.00** 

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