



Fraser Valley Aboriginal Children and Family Services Society

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Supported Connections Workers

(3) Full time 35 hrs per week – Surrey

(1) Full Time 35 hrs per week- Chilliwack

**Potential part time on-call positions may also be available for Abbotsford,
Chilliwack, Langley & Surrey**

Salary: \$31,768.23 to \$36,983.88 per annum

Xyolhemeylh – Fraser Valley Aboriginal Child and Family Services Society is a fully delegated Aboriginal Agency providing culturally appropriate and holistic services through various programs to Aboriginal children and families residing on and off reserve in the Fraser Valley. You can learn more about us at www.fvacfss.ca.

POSITION SUMMARY:

The Supported Connections program recognizes the importance of keeping children who are in foster care connected to their families by promoting meaningful family time through supported family visits. Supported Connections Workers provide families with support – not just supervision – and constructive, strengths-based feedback to help them have successful visits. To best support children and families, this position will work a variety of non-standard shifts such as Tuesday to Saturday late morning to early evenings.

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE:

- A Degree or Diploma with an emphasis on Social Services, or combination of education and experience
- Two years in a related field working with Aboriginal children and parents in a human services capacity
- Knowledge of child development and strengths based parenting; experience working with children and families
- Knowledge of Aboriginal history and culture especially regarding families and communities
- Experience transitioning foster children between home environment and visit location
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills
- Valid Driver's License with a clean driver's abstract (no N or L restriction)
- Criminal Records Check required

An eligibility list for future positions may be established. Future vacancies may be filled by candidates that may be placed on this eligibility list.

Pursuant to Section 41 of the BC Human Rights Code, preference may be given to qualified applicants of Aboriginal ancestry.

This position is open to both internal and external candidates at this time.

If you are interested in a career like this with a great organization, please submit your resume and cover letter (**saved as one Word document**) referencing **SCW –Jan 2018**, by email (careers@xyolhemeylh.bc.ca) no later than 4:30pm on

Thursday, January 25, 2018

Please clearly indicate your preference of full time or part time hours and location.