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## JOB POSTING



<b>POSITION:</b>	Psychologist
<b>RESPONSIBLE TO:</b>	Manager - Psychology
<b>HOURS OF WORK:</b>	35 hours/week
<b>CLOSING DATE:</b>	March 29 <sup>th</sup> , 2019
<b>SEND RESUMES:</b>	resume@rockonline.ca

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Reach Out Centre for Kids is currently seeking one (1) Psychologist full time permanent position.

The successful candidate will join a psychology team where cornerstones of our work include: Conducting psychological assessments/diagnoses; bringing a psychological perspective on a multi-disciplinary team; and providing treatment for children or adolescents with complex treatment issues.

Psychologists at ROCK participate in the training of residents as part of a Canadian Psychological Association (CPA) accredited Clinical Psychology Pre-Doctoral Resident Program. The successful candidate will be involved in contributing to the successful continuance of this professional program.

Finally, the successful candidate will be able to practice Psychology in Ontario with an authorized area of practice that includes, at the least, clinical practice with children, adolescents and families.

### **SPECIFIC POSITION RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Conduct psychological assessments/diagnoses and provide feedback on the results to parents, school personnel and other agencies.
- Provide treatment services to children and families using individual, group and family modalities.
- Advocate and liaise with other professionals and programs within the community that are involved with the child to facilitate his/her functioning.
- Provide a psychological perspective within the multidisciplinary team and be aware of the importance of contributions from other disciplines. Work within the multidisciplinary team to develop an integrated treatment plan to meet the needs of the child and the family.
- Assume case co-ordination responsibility for cases as appropriate.
- Prepare designated cases for presentation at multidisciplinary case reviews.
- Take responsibility for standards of practice for psychological assessments, diagnoses and treatment.
- Provide direct supervision to psychometrists, psychologists under supervised practice and M.A./Ph.D. students engaged in practicum placements/resident program.
- Develop and conduct relevant workshops in co-operation with other staff for presentation to other agencies regarding the assessment and treatment of children. Be available to staff and other agencies as an educational resource.

- In coordination with the Program Evaluation & Research Co-ordinator, conduct program evaluation activities.
- Abide by the specific requirements of Section 28 of the Occupational Health and Safety Act, as well as any further health and safety responsibilities as outlined in the agency policy and procedure documents.
- Other duties as may reasonably be assigned.

### **REQUIRED SKILLS/QUALIFICATIONS**

- Ph.D. in Psychology from a recognized university and registered with the College of Psychologists of Ontario (authorized area of practice must include clinical with children, adolescents and families).
- Three to five years of prior experience in psychological assessment and clinical treatment of children.
- Ability to maintain effective interpersonal relations and to work in a team atmosphere.
- Ability to formulate and apply effective intervention strategies and to integrate psychological data to make diagnostic formulations.
- Maintain knowledge of current scientific and professional information and be able to critically examine relevant psychological literature and translate this knowledge into effective assessment and treatment.
- Excellent verbal and nonverbal communication skills.
- Computer literacy skills to support real-time data entry into a Client Information System.
- Current (within 3 months), clear, Criminal Reference (Vulnerable Sector) check.
- Bi-lingualism in French and English is an asset. The ability to speak any second language is valued.

***ROCK welcomes and encourages applications from people with disabilities. Accommodations are available on request for candidates taking part in all aspects of the selection process.***