Psychologist

Are you looking for an opportunity to showcase your expertise in psychology and make a difference in people's lives? Consider this challenging and dynamic opportunity to work as part of a terrific multidisciplinary team at the Thunder Bay Correctional Centre.

The Ministry of Community Safety and Correctional Services offers a comprehensive and competitive compensation package, including:

- A defined benefit package plan
- Maternity and parental leave top-up benefits
- A comprehensive health and dental plan
- Life and disability insurance
- A progressive work environment that promotes work/life balance
- Flexible learning and developmental opportunities, including online, training and mentorship programs
- Opportunities for career advance and specialization through a wide range of career fields

The Ontario Public Service has been chosen as one of:

- Canada's Top 100 Employers
- Greater Toronto's Top 90 Employers
- Canada's Best Diversity Employers
- Canada's Greenest Employers
- Top Employers for Canadians Under 40

What can I expect to do in this role?

You will:

- provide a wide variety of psychological services related to the diagnosis, treatment, assessment and evaluation of offenders
- facilitate psychological rehabilitation, conduct therapy, and administer, evaluate and interpret psychological tests
- provide consultation and advice to the management team
- organize and conduct research and program evaluation projects
- assist in staff training

Location: Thunder Bay

How do I qualify?

Mandatory Requirement:

You are:

- A Registered Psychologist in Ontario in autonomous practice OR
- A Registered Psychologist in Ontario requiring supervision for Correctional/Forensic practice OR
- Eligible for Registration/Supervised Practice for Correctional/Forensic practice

Specialized Skills:

- You have demonstrated knowledge of professional standards of practice
- You have demonstrated knowledge of the theory and practices of psychology, including current rehabilitative, treatment and assessment techniques
- You have knowledge of forensic psychological assessment tools and techniques
- You have proven knowledge of the application and interpretation of assessment instruments to evaluate intellectual and personality functioning

- You have demonstrated knowledge of program evaluation and research techniques to evaluate program effectiveness and to develop and conduct research projects
- You have knowledge of computer programs to operate Windows-based applications and software

Communication and Interpersonal Skills:

- You have demonstrated interpersonal skills to maintain strong working relationships with multidisciplinary team members
- You have demonstrated skills in communicating information and conducting therapy and counselling sessions
- You have demonstrated ability to assist in professional supervision of placement students and participate in staff training

Analytical and Problem Solving Skills:

- You are skilled in making diagnoses and recommending appropriate treatment interventions
- You have proven analytical and problem-solving skills to provide diagnostic assessments, and formulate, deliver and evaluate treatment, crisis intervention and rehabilitation plans and programs
- You have the ability to interpret and apply relevant legislation (e.g. the Psychology Act, the Regulated Health Professions Act, the Personal Health Information Protection Act, and the Health Care Consent Act)

Salary Range: \$1,628.18 - \$2,129.68 per week

Additional information:

 1 Permanent, 2351 Hwy 61, Thunder Bay, North Region, Enhanced - CPIC, VSS, PIP, Niche/RMS, Credit

Note:

• A Canadian Police Information Centre (CPIC) check is required for the successful candidate.

Please apply online, only, at www.ontario.ca/careers, quoting Job ID 112136, by Thursday, October 19, 2017. Please follow the instructions to submit your application. Faxes are not being accepted at this time.

If you require accommodation in order to participate in the recruitment process, please contact us at www.gojobs.gov.on.ca/ContactUs.aspx to provide your contact information. Recruitment Services staff will contact you within 48 hours. Only those applicants selected for an interview will be contacted.

The Ontario Public Service is an inclusive employer. Accommodation will be provided in accordance with Ontario's *Human Rights Code*.

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