

## Psychologist Job Opportunity

Part-time with potential to grow to full-time

A child's healthcare needs are complex, and because every family wants and deserves the highest level of care, SickKids opened a community based healthcare clinic in Vaughan, Ontario, just north of Toronto, called Boomerang Health. Boomerang Health is a warm and welcoming place where families can easily access a range of services for their children. Rehabilitation services include psychology, speech-language pathology, physiotherapy, occupational therapy, massage therapy, nutrition, and audiology. Medical services include sports medicine, neurology, gastroenterology, and endocrinology.

We are a fast growing clinic that is looking for an outstanding psychologist to join our multi-disciplinary team. A strong applicant is high energy, has a positive attitude and a passion for helping children and families. You will work with a team of professionals dedicated to providing the highest standard of convenient, accessible care. This is your chance to join and contribute to a great organization.

### Job Summary:

- This position is part-time with potential to grow to full time. Hours are flexible and could be a mix of weekdays, evenings and Saturdays.
- Assesses, diagnoses, and treats learning, behavioural and social-emotional problems within the context of the child's developmental history and family functioning.
- Designs and carries out psychological assessments in order to understand and describe a child's current cognitive, academic, and social-emotional functioning.
- Writes reports incorporating relevant and effective recommendations using Electronic Medical Record system.
- Provides feedback and recommendations to families, and liaises with referring physicians, school staff and other relevant community agencies
- Provides evidence-based therapeutic interventions for childhood anxiety and depression, emotion dysregulation, behavioural difficulties and family conflict. Provides interventions to enhance coping and reduce distress in referred population
- Actively involved in family education initiatives
- Manages a varied caseload and meets required timelines
- Consults with Psychology Team Leader to discuss and explore new initiatives, programs and improvements for department
- Other duties as required

### Qualifications:

- Ph.D. or Psy.D. in Clinical Psychology, with competencies in assessment and treatment of children, adolescents and families
- Registered with the College of Psychologists of Ontario

Experience/Skills:

- Strong proficiency in assessment and evidence-based interventions with children, adolescents, parents, and families
- Experience in treating mental health concerns in a paediatric population preferred
- Evidence-based practice
- Experience in family therapy, individual therapy with adolescents,
- Experience with group therapy for children and adolescents an asset.
- Utilizes critical thinking and problem solving skills
- Requires excellent oral and written communication skills in English
- Must have excellent interpersonal skills to interact with children and adults
- Efficient time management and organizational skills required

For more information or to apply for this position, please visit our website at [www.boomeranghealth.com/about/careers](http://www.boomeranghealth.com/about/careers) and email your cover letter and resume to [meredith.gillespie@boomeranghealth.com](mailto:meredith.gillespie@boomeranghealth.com)