



**South London Neighbourhood Resource Centre
Newcomer Settlement Services – Community Connections**

Settlement Youth Worker

Report to: The Youth Worker will be an employee of the South London Neighbourhood Resource Centre (SLNRC). Day-to-day supervision/consultation will be provided by the Director of the Newcomer Settlement Services in the form of formal supervision meetings as well as informal support as requested by the worker.

Qualifications: Social Service/ Child and Youth Worker Diploma, Social Work Degree, Sociology Degree or equivalent; plus 2 years actively working with youth.

Commitment:

Hours: Days, evenings & weekends based on need

Week: Up to 20 hrs/week - contract position

Responsibilities

- ✓ Provide opportunities for newcomer youth to be engaged, productive members in their community
- ✓ Develop an outreach strategy/training & support system that will engage local newcomer youth
- ✓ Set up and run after school organized program activities in a safe space
- ✓ Connect area newcomer youth with local and city wide service providers
- ✓ Work in conjunction with the Youth Council of the SLNRC
- ✓ In conjunction with the SWIS, LSP, other settlement staff support newcomer youth to volunteer to develop life skills and interpersonal skills
- ✓ Identify and provide monthly workshops related to newcomer youth needs
- ✓ Engage and empower newcomer youth to join the Youth Council and other volunteer positions
- ✓ Provide and facilitate information sessions for newcomer youth in areas pertinent to settlement issues such as financial literacy, rights and responsibilities and about life in Canada
- ✓ Provide leadership training workshops for newcomer youth in partnership such as the City of London Staff
- ✓ Act as a positive role model to the newcomer youth that attend the programs
- ✓ Supervise the Assistant Youth Worker

Qualifications:

- ✓ Experience working directly with newcomer and isolated youth
- ✓ Additional language is an asset in particular Arabic
- ✓ Ability to work with a diverse population
- ✓ Strong communication and organizational skills
- ✓ Highly motivated and a self- starter
- ✓ Ability to work independently as well as within a team
- ✓ Responsible, trustworthy, approachable and friendly
- ✓ Organized and comfortable with promotion and report writing
- ✓ Have the ability to connect with newcomer youth and get them involved
- ✓ Maintain accurate written records and files pertaining to settlement services provided to clients.
- ✓ Enters statistical information in a data system using an IRCC approved tracking system, known as (iCARE)
- ✓ Ensure appropriate and confidential handling of client information
- ✓ Wears a name badge.
- ✓ Provide a current Police Check
- ✓ Attends staff meetings and training opportunities
- ✓ Operate in accordance with policies, procedures, guidelines and protocols of the SLNRC
- ✓ Participate as a member of SLNRC team by furthering collective team goals.
- ✓ Involve resourceful individuals from different community services in these programs
- ✓ Accept other duties as assigned by the Director of the Newcomer Settlement Services

We thank all applicants but only those chosen for interview will be contacted.

This is an internal and external posting. Please do not call. If you are interested in applying for this position, email your resume and detailed cover letter by January 20, 2017 at 5:00 pm to:

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