



# Rural Healthcare Work Placement Job Posting

Note: all jobs posted on this website have been approved for funding under the HealthKick Rural Healthcare Work Placement Program. All applicants must meet the following criteria:

- A resident of Huron County
- Demonstrate a keen interest in a healthcare career
- Intend to return to full time studies in a healthcare related area of study in September 2012
- Meet the candidate qualifications as requested by the employer below.

Only candidates who meet these criteria will have their application forwarded to the employer for consideration. Ensure you provide good detail on each of the areas of the application. No resume/cover letter will be forwarded to the employer. If employers wish this additional information they will request it directly from you. Only those candidates selected for interviews by the employer will be contacted. Thank you for your interest in these placements.

Job Number	<b>2012-09</b>
Date Posted	December 19, 2011
Closing Date for Applications	March 15, 2011
Location	Goderich
Placement Job Title	Program Assistant- Adult Day Programs
Proposed start date	May 14/12
Proposed end date	August 3, 2012
Candidate qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Computer skills</li> <li>☞ CPR</li> <li>☞ First Aid</li> <li>☞ Transportation</li> </ul>
Suitable Education	<p>Post Secondary school in any of the following programs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Gerontology</li> <li>☞ Nursing</li> <li>☞ Dementia Studies</li> </ul> <p>Other Qualifications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Any student who is enrolled in a post secondary program related field</li> </ul>
Job Description	<p>Working with the Adult Day Programs - To work as a part of an interdisciplinary team with a Nurse Mentor. The candidate will assist in the delivery of direct client services in a professional and caring manner. This will include activities such as: Health orientated information sessions; blood pressure and weight monitoring; personal care; therapeutic bathing, observation and reporting. They will work within a therapeutic environment to provide structured supervised activities to adults with functional impairment, report observations regarding individual conditions and suggest referrals.</p>
Duties & training planned	<p><b>Working with Adult Day Programs - Duties Include:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ Computerized documentation in client notes</li> <li>☞ Observe administration of medications with a Nurse mentor</li> <li>☞ Monitor and assist clients in the delivery of stroke care, including exercise, speech, range of motion, balance and transfers</li> <li>☞ Assist in the delivery of programs for dementia clients, including one to one and group activities</li> <li>☞ Participate in team conferences by assessing and evaluating client needs</li> <li>☞ Plan approaches to provide services with the clients</li> </ul> <p><b>Training would include:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>☞ WHMIS</li> </ul>



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✂ Agency Policies and Procedures-including Health and Safety practices</li> <li>✂ Client Services Procedures- including Boundaries</li> <li>✂ Best Practice Guidelines for Stroke</li> <li>✂ Proper Body Mechanics-Safe Lifts and Transfers</li> <li>✂ ADL/IADL</li> <li>✂ Introduction to Dementia Care</li> <li>✂ Fish Philosophy</li> <li>✂ Overview of Safe Food Handling</li> </ul>
# of Hours per week	35 hours per week
# of weeks	12 weeks
Hourly rate:	\$12.25 per hour
Other details	This position will help the candidates gain insight into the needs of clients in rural settings. The Student will also see the importance of Community Support Services as a part of the Health care team, allowing individuals to stay in their homes longer. They will witness the importance of a multi-disciplinary team and the role of a Nurse within the team.
<b>How to apply</b>	Complete <b>Student Job Application #2012-09</b> for this job posting and follow the instructions on the application form.