

## **CAREER OPPORTUNITY**

**POSITION TITLE:** Community Support Worker (Health)

**CLASSIFICATION:** Permanent. Part-time (6 hours a day, 4 days a week)

## **LOCATION**

Located in south eastern part British Columbia, the Town of Creston has a unique blend of mountains, lakes, farms, orchards and forests. The population of Creston is 5,000 and the trading area serves about 15,000 people. The Lower Kootenay Band (LKB) has 200 plus members and is a member of the Ktunaxa Nation.

## **POSITION SUMMARY**

This position offers a variety of different duties to be carried out by supporting the Home Care Nurse including planning and facilitating social activities for community health clients and assisting with the monthly community lunch for Elders, transporting patients to and from appointments, community errands (grocery shopping, banking, pharmacy) and social activities.

Duties also include community water testing, distributing communication bulletins and notices in and for the community; homemaking; light household cleaning, meal preparation and laundry.

## **Position Qualifications**

The successful candidate will possess cultural awareness and be confidential with a commitment to delivering safe, effective care in a manner that considers each individual's needs for comfort, privacy and respect. The candidate will need to be flexible, personable and have good mental and physical health.

- Grade 12 or G.E.D. equivalency. Post secondary training in Human Service work would be preferred.
- Valid driver's license with clean driver's abstract
- Access to own reliable transportation
- First Aid/CPR Certificate or willing to train
- Clean Criminal Record Check including Vulnerable Sector Screening
- Excellent organization skills
- Knowledge of community resources
- Food Safe Level 1

Lower Kootenay Band offers a competitive salary based on experience and qualifications as well as an attractive benefit package. If you wish to be considered for the position, please submit a current resume and cover letter describing how you meet or exceed the above noted qualifications. Your submission should be marked "Confidential" and forwarded to:

Director of Operations Lower Kootenay Band 830 Simon Rd. Creston, BC V0B 1G2

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Closing Date: June 12, 2015 Start Date: June 22, 2015