



Internal and External Job Posting
POSITION: Part-time Child/Youth Worker

The Child/Youth Worker must be proficient in any of the languages that VLMFSS serves and/or Vietnamese, Amharic/Tigrinya, Chinese, Punjabi, Tamil, Thai along with English. She will provide individual and/or group support and advocacy with immigrant and visible minority children and families who are facing family violence.

Qualifications:

- *Knowledge of dynamics of gender based violence, and acculturation issues impacting immigrant, refugee and visible minority women and their children*
- *Experience in providing psycho-educational counselling*
- *Experience in organizing and conducting support groups*
- *Experience in advocating on behalf of vulnerable populations*
- *Ability to be empathetic and sensitive to socio-economic and ethno-cultural values*
- *Relevant university degree or diploma in Social Work or relevant counselling or related experience*
- *Effective cross-cultural communication, interpersonal and organizational skills*
- *Knowledge of other languages an asset*
- *Knowledge of relevant resources*
- *Ability to work effectively with other professionals in the community*
- *Proficient in using office equipment and software applications*

Requirement: *Satisfactory Criminal Record Check*

Hours: *Flexible hours (14 hours/week)*

Pay Range: *\$ 21.92 - \$26.91 per hour depending on qualifications and experience*

Fixed term position until March 31st 2023 with possibility of extension based on performance appraisal and availability of funding.

Note: *Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.*

Deadline for applications: *This is a Rolling selection process with applications being assessed as they arrive*

*Please reply in writing with a resume and cover letter to:
Lakshmi at email: lakshmi@vlmfss.ca*