

Internal & External Job Posting POSITION: Multicultural Outreach Community Worker

The Multicultural Outreach Community Worker must be proficient in English as well as Punjabi/Hindi/Urdu. She will provide individual and/or group support and advocacy with immigrant, refugee, visible minority, no immigration status women and their children who are facing gender-based/family violence.

Minimum Qualifications:

• Relevant university Certificate in Social Work/Counselling, one-year relevant experience or a combination of education and experience.

Other Qualifications:

- Knowledge of dynamics of gender-based violence, and acculturation issues impacting immigrant, refugee and visible minority women and their children
- Experience in providing supportive 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.
- 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: 14-21 hours per week

Pay Range: \$26.74 - \$30.69- Grid Level 11 JJEP Grid. This position requires union membership.

Deadline for applications: Until filled.

Please reply in writing with a resume and cover letter to: Harjit at email: harjit@vlmfss.ca