

We are seeking an
FNMI Doula



Terms: Consultant contract

Hours of Work: Hours vary per birth and course of care

Wage Rate: Approximately \$50/hr. Wage varies per service

A shared sense of purpose. Chigamik Community Health Centre is committed to providing bilingual and culturally-sensitive primary health care, illness prevention and health promotion.

Job overview:

The First Nation, Métis and Inuit (FNMI) Doula is a key role in the Biidaaban Doula Collective. Reporting to the Program Manager, the FNMI Doula is a member of a roster of FNMI Doulas across the North Simcoe Muskoka Local Health Integration Network. The FNMI Doula provides informational, emotional, physical, and spiritual support for expectant birthing persons and their families during pregnancy, labour, and the postpartum period. Building on the traditional Aunty role, FNMI doulas will assist in honoring traditional and spiritual practices and beliefs associated with care and support the language and cultural needs of the birthing person and their families. The FNMI doula will work closely with the Perinatal Mental Health Worker, the Midland Midwives, CSC Chigamik CHC staff and other community partners to bring about emotional, spiritual, mental, and physical well-being for expectant birthing persons and their families.

Qualifications:

- Certified or Certifying Doula or Maternal Support Practitioner (MSP) level training.
- Minimum 3-5 years' experience working in the pre and/or post-natal field.
- Minimum 3-5 years' experience in a community setting, working with the FNMI community.
- Knowledge of other community resources, treatment centres and organizations.
- Computer literacy including experience with a client management system (e.g., EMR).
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills.
- Solid clinical assessment and counselling skills.
- Ability to organize, prioritize and multitask efficiently.
- Strong interpersonal skills to work with diverse client groups with varying levels of comprehension and language abilities.

Send us your cover letter and resume to:

CSC CHIGAMIK CHC, 287 Bayshore Dr. Midland ON L4R 0H1 Email: hr@chigamik.ca

A FULL JOB DESCRIPTION CAN BE VIEWED ON THE CAREERS SECTION OF OUR WEBSITE WWW.CHIGAMIK.CA



CHIGAMIK Community Health Centre is an equal opportunity employer who seeks qualified candidates who share our commitment to equity, diversity and inclusion. While all qualified candidates are invited to apply, we particularly welcome applications from women, persons with disabilities, members of visible minorities, and 2SLGBTQ+ persons. For this particular role, priority will be given to those who self-identify as Francophone, First Nations, Métis and Inuit. Job applicants requiring accommodation to participate in the hiring process should contact the Office Manager at 705-527-4154 ext. 7200 to communicate accommodation needs. We thank all applicants, however, only those receiving an interview will be contacted.

This position will require compliance with the COVID-19 Vaccination Policy of Hospitals located within our catchment area. This may include proof of full vaccination unless provided with a medical exemption or an accommodation under the Ontario Human Rights Code.

CSC CHIGAMIK CHC encourages a scent-free environment. Employees, students, volunteers, and visitors are asked to refrain from wearing fragrances and other scented personal care products while at the centre.