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Job Announcement

Indian Child Welfare Case Worker

POSITION: Indian Child Welfare Case Worker

POSTING DATE: April 1, 2022 CLOSING DATE: Open Until Filled

LOCATION: LCO Tribal Administration Building

DEPARTMENT: ICW

SUPERVISION: ICW Director

ADMINISTRATION: LCO Tribal Policies & Procedures

POSITION SUMMARY:

This position will require knowledge of all areas of social work including CPS investigations as well as on-going case management and court procedures.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Must possess a minimum of an Associate's of Arts in Human Services or Criminal
 Justice or related field, working toward or willing to work towards, a degree in those
 related fields.
- Must have a minimum of 2 years of experience in working in a child welfare, or a human services setting or experience in working directly with families and children.
- Must be trained in forensic interviewing skills or willing to complete this training within 6 months of the hire.
- Must be aware and strictly abide by the Code of Confidentiality.
- Be knowledgeable of and able to utilize the State E-Wisacwis reporting system.
- Must be able available to be On-call after hours and weekends for child welfare emergencies.
- Must possess excellent computer, written and verbal communication skills.
- Must have a valid Driver's License, good driving record, personal vehicle insurance, and reliable transportation.
- Must be able to travel when assigned.
- Tribal preference applies.

- Must be able to pass a nation-wide criminal background check.
- Must be able to pass pre-employment drug screen.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Displays a responsive and professional manner in promptly responding to all requests, complaints, and problems.
- Recognizes that each employee is a representative of the LCO Band of Lake Superior Chippewa and is responsible for demonstrating courtesy, respect, and sensitivity to the needs of all others, including visitors and co-workers.
- Provides support and information and referral services to family members and youth.
- Submit monthly and yearly reporting to program Director and for grant purposes.
- Attend the weekly Department of Social Services Staffing and provide program updates, review cases with the ICW Case Workers and accept referrals.
- Able to complete ACCESS/Intake reports involving child abuse and neglect.
- Complete physical, sexual, or neglect investigations with co-workers, Sawyer County CPS and Law Enforcement Agencies.
- Provide strength-based social work skills to families and be knowledgeable of trauma informed care when working with clients.
- Complete reports including permanency plans, safety plans, court reports, dispositional and change of placement reports.
- Conduct face-face contacts, home visits, and child welfare checks as assigned.
- All other duties as assigned by ICW Director or Assistant Director.

Application Procedure:

Submit <u>complete</u> LCO Employment Application, resume, at least three (3) personal letters of references, and any other supportive documents. Resume should be typewritten, indicating personal information related to the position for which applicant is applying for and should include education, experience, professional and/or community involvement.

MAIL, FAX OR EMAIL ALL INFORMATION TO:

Lac Courte Oreilles Tribal Government ATTN: Human Recourse Department 13394 W. Trepania Road Hayward, WI 54843 Fax (715) 634-4797 HR Fax (715) 699-1209 doreen.debrot@lco-nsn.gov caroline.yellowthunder@lco-nsn.gov

Tribal Preference will apply to qualified applicants in accordance with the Lac Courte Oreilles Policies & Procedures Manual.