

INCLUSION FACILITATOR – Summer Inclusion Service (SIS) Program

Job Summary:

Do you have experience working with children with disabilities? Do you take pride in contributing to an inclusive community? Are you an excellent problem solver, capable of working independently with a positive attitude? Under the overall supervision of the Victoria Integration Society's Board of Directors, the general supervision of the Executive Director of Recreation Integration Victoria (RIV) and the specific supervision of the Coordinator of Services and SIS Coordinator, Inclusion Facilitators work one-to-one to support children and youth with disabilities in community-based summer camp settings.

Wage: \$14.79/hour plus 4% vacation pay. (\$15.38/hr total)
Employment Contract: June 12th – August 25th, 2017. 37.5hrs/week

Candidates must meet Canada Summer Jobs Grant eligibility: Full-time students (minimum 3 courses) who are 15-30 years old and intending to return to their studies in the next school year*

With so many young boys with disabilities requiring support,
male candidates are strongly encouraged to apply!

You will be:

1. Evaluating the leisure and recreation needs of children and youth with disabilities regarding the assistance they require to participate in community leisure and recreation opportunities.
2. Providing assistance to children and youth with disabilities, while they pursue their leisure and recreation interests. This may include all aspects of their personal care (dressing, eating, and washroom visits).
3. Encouraging relationship building by facilitating the inclusion of the child with disabilities and their non-disabled peers.
4. Utilizing a multi-disciplinary approach towards inclusion by consulting with appropriate parties (parents/caregivers, program coordinators & camp leaders and the SIS Coordinator)
5. Performing duties in accordance with the approved policies and procedures of RIV.
6. Completing required paperwork such as waivers and weekly summaries by pre-determined deadlines.
7. Other related duties as assigned.

Job/Skill Requirements:

- Be committed to the inclusion process.
- Current Standard 1st Aid & CPR-C
- Valid BC Class IV (4) Driver's License. Candidates currently undertaking measures to obtain this license are welcome to apply. This is a firm requirement of the position and candidates who fail to provide proof of their license before the position's start date will have their offer of employment terminated.
- Have working experience supporting people with disabilities.
- Specific experience supporting children with ASD is a strong asset.
- Excellent communication and organizational skills in both spoken & written form.
- Versatility to work independently and as a member of a team.

Please submit a cover letter, resume and 3 references to Amie Renaud, Coordinator of Services by **March 10, 2017**. Email: arenaud@rivonline.org Due to the high volume of applications received, only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

Students with disabilities, Aboriginal students, and students who are a member of a visible minority are encouraged to apply.

ADDITIONAL NOTE:

*RIV also coordinates a similar summer inclusion service entitled the Supported Child Development (SCD) Program. This program provides summer service for children up to the age of 12 during the months of July and August. It possesses many similarities to the SIS Program, however, as it is funded differently candidates are not required to meet the Canada Summer Jobs grant criteria. Candidates who are not returning students between the age of 15-30, or who are looking for work only during the months of July & August are encouraged to consider applying to the SCD program. Please submit a cover letter, resume and 3 references to Amie Renaud, Coordinator of Services by **March 10th, 2017**. Email: arenaud@rivonline.org*

***Please indicate in your coverletter if you are applying for the SIS or SCD Program position.