PHYSIOTHERAPIST

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED FOR THE SERVICES OF A PHYSIOTHERAPIST FOR THE ATHABASCA HEALTH AUTHORITY IN BLACK LAKE, SASKATCHEWAN.

GENERAL ACCOUNTABILITY
The Athabasca Health Authority is seeking the services of a Physiotherapist for one (1) week per month in the Athabasca Basin. The Physiotherapist will provide care to ensure efficient, effective and safe physiotherapy to patients/clients/residents. The provision of health care services includes but is not limited to, observing and assessing the health status of patients/clients/residents for effective planning, implementing and evaluating of physiotherapy care. The Physiotherapist will establish exercise programs, which are required to compliment physiotherapy care services for the purpose of promoting, maintaining or restoring health, preventing illness and alleviating suffering.

This is a community based position that works with a case load of pediatrics, home care, as well as, pre and post-surgical patients. The physiotherapist will be required to travel throughout the Athabasca Basin to provide physiotherapy services.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES
• Demonstrated ability to function competently within the scope of practice as a Physiotherapist.
• Cultural awareness and sensitivity to the Dene culture.
• Interpersonal, organizational and communication skills consistent with establishing and maintaining the working relationships required to effectively perform the role requirements.
• Ability to work independently and as a member of a multi-disciplinary team.
• Possess sound judgment as well as critical thinking skills and problem solving skills.
• Ability to communicate effectively and professionally, orally and in writing, with the general public, AHA staff and community members.
• Ability to prioritize the role tasks; react positively to heavy workloads, conflicting demands, and tight time constraints.
• Demonstrate professional behavior consistent with the standards of any required professional association and AHA policies.
• Assumes responsibility and is accountable at all times for personal practice.
• Demonstrated ability to use standard office software.
• Willingly participate in quality improvement and client safety initiatives.
• Perform other duties, as required.

QUALIFICATIONS
• Current registration with the Saskatchewan College of Physiotherapists (SCPT)
• Current certificate Level C, Basic Cardiac Life Support.
• Strong communication and public relation skills.
• Valid Class 5 Driver’s License.
• Clear Criminal Record and Vulnerable Sector Search.
• Willing to reside in the Athabasca Basin for one (1) week per month.

Individuals interested in applying for this position should forward their resume, including a clear CPIC and Vulnerability Record Check (original or certified true copy required) and 3 professional references including at least one from your current/previous employer to:

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Applications for the position will be open until March 16, 2018 and position would start April 2018.

We thank all applicants for their interest in the Athabasca Health Authority. Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.