

Recreation Therapy Instructor- Part Time

Date of Posting: July 5, 2018 Closing Date: July 16, 2018

Overview:

Six Nations Polytechnic is offering a 2-year college diploma program in Recreation Therapy at their Brantford Campus. We are currently recruiting for Instructors to start in September 2018.

If you are interested in playing a role in developing leaders and shaping the future of members of our community, then we encourage you submit your resume for this exciting position.

Responsibilities

This exciting role requires the successful candidate(s) to develop and provide a holistic learning environment that includes designing, updating, delivering and evaluating curriculum in a variety of areas in the Recreation Therapy program. These areas include but are not limited to: Program design and supervision, Disabilities and aging, Leisure education and counselling, Health and wellness, Recreation facilities, Sports and special events, Leadership and program planning, Assessment and documentation. A full list of the curriculum can be found on our website www.snpolytechnic.com.

The instructor is responsible for providing academic leadership and developing an effective learning environment for students. This includes designing, revising and updating courses/curriculum; teaching assigned courses; consulting with stakeholders (faculty, community and industry partners); defining course objectives and evaluating student comprehension of objectives; utilizing a variety of instruction medium/resources; and provide individualize instruction where necessary. Other duties may be assigned as necessary.

Qualifications

The successful applicant must have:

- Bachelor's Degree in Recreation Therapy or other related field; an equivalent combination of postsecondary education and related practical work experience may be considered; graduate degree preparation is considered an asset.
- Member in good standing of Therapeutic Recreation Ontario before the hire date.
- Extensive Indigenous knowledge relating to approaches to health, recreation therapy and wellness practices.
- Minimum 2 years of teaching experience, or equivalent, preferably in a college setting
- Minimum 5 years practical experience related to the field of study
- Thorough knowledge of the multi-dimensional nature of the Recreation Therapy field.
- Proven dedication to excellence in teaching and learning practices as well as commitment to student success.
- Past record of forging strong working relationships with peers and co-workers.
- Evidence of commitment to guiding and supporting students toward success.
- Demonstrated ability to work with diverse student populations.
- Excellent written and oral communication skills.
- Strong organizational, problem solving, and analytical skills.
- Previous teaching experience at the post-secondary level and/or adult training experience.
- Knowledge and/or experience in the implementation of emergent curriculum/inquiry based learning and pedagogical documentation.



Salary:

Hourly rate of \$57.75.

Application Procedure:

Applications will be accepted until the position is filled:

- **1.** A <u>cover letter</u> outlining relevant experience and qualifications. Please reference areas identified within the contract posting (i.e. fields of demonstrated excellence).
- 2. A <u>curriculum vitae/resumé</u> outlining relevant experience, educational background
- 3. Names and contact information for three professional, community, and/or academic references.

Above application materials can be sent to the attention of:

Taina Lickers-Smith, A/ Program & Placement Coordinator, SNP Brantford

Email: <u>taina.lickers-smith@snpolytechnic.com</u> Please put "RCT Job Posting" in the subject line.

Or in a sealed envelope mailed or hand delivered, clearly marked "RCT Job Posting" to:

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