

Social Worker

Full Time Permanent

\$34.64 - \$44.24 per hour
Pension/ Extended Health & Dental Benefits
TEMP FREE LIVING ACCOMODATIONS * RELOCATION ASSISTANCE

Geraldton District Hospital is seeking an enthusiastic, organized and self-motivated individual to deliver social work services to the patients of the Geraldton District Hospital and the residents of the John Owen Evans Residence. The Social Worker is responsible for activities and interventions pertaining to patient care planning and delivery, including discharge planning, crisis intervention and palliative care coordination.

Geraldton District Hospital is a fully accredited, progressive health care organization committed to providing high quality services to residents of Greenstone and surrounding First Nations communities. The Hospital has 23 acute care beds, 26 long-term care beds, a 24-hour emergency department, and a heliport. Services provided include clinical nutrition, diagnostic imaging (x-ray & ultrasound), laboratory, outreach chemotherapy, rehabilitation (PT & OT), social work and telemedicine.

The community of Greenstone is comprised of 5 small communities in northern Ontario, including Geraldton which is centrally located and has a population of approximately 1500 people. Geraldton is approximately 2.5 hours from Thunder Bay and easily assessable by car on the Trans-Canada Highway.

Qualifications and Experience:

- Successful completion or presently enrolled in a Bachelor of Social Work degree program from an accredited University
- Eligible for membership in the Ontario College of Certified Social Workers and Social Service Workers and the Canadian Association of Social Workers
- Minimum 2 years' experience as a Social Worker
- Experience working in an Acute Care hospital and with the elderly in a Long-Term Care and Continuing Care setting is an asset
- Crisis intervention experience is an asset
- Bilingualism in both official languages is an asset
- Knowledge and understanding of the Indigenous cultures/languages is an asset

If you interested in combining a fulfilling lifestyle with a challenging opportunity, please submit your application and resume in confidence, by email, to hr@geraldtondh.com

Geraldton District Hospital is committed to workplace diversity and provides accommodations to applicants with disabilities throughout the hiring process.