

## JOB OPPORTUNITY

# RESEARCH, PLANNING AND POLICY ANALYST

### Planet Youth Timiskaming

Posting Date:	October 16, 2024	Closing Date:	October 31, 2024
Location:	New Liskeard or Kirkland Lake or Remote	Position Type:	Full-Time, Temporary (3 months)
Salary Range:	\$81,415 – 87,015 – prorated to 3 months	Expected Hours:	35 hrs / Week

#### **POSITION SUMMARY:**

The Timiskaming Health Unit is seeking a highly motivated individual with interests in positive youth development, youth substance use prevention, asset-based community development, public health and evidence-informed decision making. The individual will support Planet Youth Timiskaming to plan an intervention(s) to promote wellbeing and prevent substance use among youth. The individual will work closely with the Planet Youth team including the Project Coordinator, Intervention Implementation Lead, and the Project Evaluator. [More detail here.](#)

#### **JOB RESPONSIBILITIES INCLUDE:**

- Identify, assess, analyze and synthesize data and research evidence to guide programming decisions and inform population level public health approaches and operational planning;
- Apply advanced knowledge of public health and/or technical knowledge regarding population health, social determinants of health, epidemiology and evidence-informed decision making;
- Identify, analyze, and provide recommendations on interventions, policies, trends, risks, and opportunities;
- Support local data gathering and research;
- Support program monitoring and evaluation;
- Synthesize and communicate complex information to a wide range of audiences;
- Other tasks or duties as required

#### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- A Master's degree in public health, health sciences, or related field essential;
- Relevant experience in public health or community health;
- Demonstrated public health competencies with advanced population health assessment, planning, and evaluation skills;
- Strong research and analytical skills with qualitative and quantitative methods;
- Experience interpreting and synthesizing research and technical information;
- Experience in program planning, evidence-informed decision-making methodology, project management, and project leadership;
- Strong verbal and written communication, facilitation, and knowledge exchange skills;
- Demonstrated ability to work effectively within diverse team settings;
- Excellent analytical, problem solving, and organizational skills;
- Willingness to work flexible hours to meet program requirements;

- Required to comply with the Health Unit's immunization policies, which requires vaccination against COVID-19 unless valid medical exemption is provided;
- Transportation to meet programming needs, travel throughout the entire district will be required.

**HOW TO APPLY:**

Only those candidates selected for interviews will be contacted.

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