



ALEXIS HEALTH SERVICES

Alexis Nakota Sioux Nation

The Alexis Health Services is seeking:

Child Oral Health Initiative (COHI) Aide

As part of the Alexis Health Services team, the COHI Aide is highly motivated and has the ability to work independently and reports to the Director of Health. They are responsible for promoting oral health, providing oral hygiene education, implementing oral health prevention strategies and activities, and performing administrative and reporting duties. The COHI Aide is a community member who is an essential link between the oral health professional (COHI provider) and the community. They serve as oral knowledge-keepers within the community. COHI Aides liaise and network with individuals and programs. They raise oral health awareness and provide education. They collaborate with dental therapists and dental hygienists. They conduct general health promotion and disease prevention activities, such as applying fluoride varnish. The success of COHI is dependent on the active participation of community in building capacity for healthy smiles.

DUTIES/RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Complete required Training upon being hired.
- Complete annual refresher training.
- Complete other training required by Alexis Health Services
- Assisting with obtaining authorizations/consents for COHI service delivery
- Applying fluoride varnish in accordance with established protocols
- Providing oral health education and information to clients, parents/caregivers, prenatal groups, and other community members
- Booking clients for services with the oral health professional and providing support services to the oral health professional during client visits

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Grade Twelve Graduate or Equivalent
- Able to complete COHI AIDE training
- Able to work effectively with children between the ages of 0-12 years of age
- Has experience with reporting activities, 2 years minimum
- Ability to speak the Nakota Sioux Language is an asset
- Clear understanding of privacy legislation
- Excellent communication and interpersonal abilities
- Dependable and punctual
- Valid Driver's License, Class 4 ADL (Health can assist to upgrade a class 5 ADL)
- Clear Criminal Record Check with Vulnerable Sector Check required for successful applicant
- Child Welfare Check required for successful applicant

Closing Date: September 5, 2024 @ 4:30 pm

PLEASE SUBMIT IN PERSON, or FAX, or EMAIL **COVER LETTER & RESUME** TO:

Patricia Roth, Interim Health Director

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