



# ALEXIS HEALTH SERVICES

Alexis Nakota Sioux Nation

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Alexis Health Services is seeking a full time:

### **YOUTH WORKER - MENTAL WELLNESS TEAM**

The Youth Worker is primarily responsible for coordinating and implementing a youth alcohol and drug abuse prevention/treatment strategy and building supportive community relationships that fosters success. The Youth Worker facilitates connections to appropriate services and resources through client centered practices such as navigating relationships with natural supports, goal setting, crisis resolution, accessing addiction and/or mental health counseling, accessing financial support, collaborating with other programs to ensure basic needs are met, cultural connections, systems navigation, finding and maintaining employment/education, and creating positive lifestyle opportunities.

#### **DUTIES / RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Targeted outreach to identified students, families, and schools to ensure that relevant information and services are easily accessible to youth in need
- Participate in outreach activities at schools, in the community, and other related youth events
- Support youth and families through wrap around case management, system meetings, rapport building, and participation at community appointments when and where required
- Must be an effective, mature, and proper role model for youth
- Participate in research of trends in our community and best practices on how to mitigate those trends and present findings to the Alexis Health Services
- Actively builds and supports relationships and rapport with other youth serving agencies in the immediate/surrounding communities
- Maintains meaningful, concise, and confidential administrative and client records
- Review and monitor workplans, submit reports in a timely manner
- Executes other related responsibilities as assigned by supervisor and/or Health Director

#### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Diploma or Undergraduate Degree in the Social Sciences including Child and Youth Care, Social Work, Addictions or Psychology
- Minimum of 2 years of related experience in working with youth in a community or mental health setting
- Training in trauma-informed care and interventions associated with children's mental health
- Knowledge of the Nakota Sioux Culture and Traditions (must possess cultural awareness, understanding, and sensitivity)
- Ability to speak the Nakota Sioux language is considered an asset
- Clear understanding of privacy legislation
- Standard First Aid and Level C CPR
- Excellent communication/interpersonal skills, and is dependable and punctual
- Reliable transportation, valid Class 4 Driver's Licence (Class 2 preferred)
- Criminal Record with Vulnerable Sector and Child Intervention Check required

**Closing Date: Friday, September 6, 2024 @ 4:30 p.m.**

PLEASE SUBMIT ***COVER LETTER AND RESUME*** (in person, by fax or email) TO:

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