

Job Posting- Dietician contract position, 7.5 hours/weekly

Are you looking to be part of an organization with a vision of a healthy and inclusive community where individuals and families can thrive? Burnaby Family Life has been changing lives for over 50 years and we want you to join our team!

We are looking for a dietician to join our pre and postnatal services team to help work towards program goals of decreasing low birth weight in babies and promoting positive health practices, supporting socially at-risk pregnant and postpartum women in a community setting.

WHY BURNABY FAMILY LIFE?

At Burnaby Family Life, we pride ourselves on our flexibility and responsiveness to the needs of the community. The individual we are looking for will ensure our values are at the forefront of nutrition care. **OUR VALUES** guide us in our everyday work, helping us to make a difference in our community.

Collaboration
Leadership
Advocacy
Respect and Inclusion
Professionalism
Learning
Empowerment

WHAT THIS ROLE WILL DO:

Participate in our weekly pre and postnatal groups to provide nutritional support to a diverse group of women. During these sessions you will:

- Presents food/cooking related education sessions & demonstrations to clients.
- Create and facilitate presentations related to maternal nutrition, infant feeding, heathy weight loss, accessing nutritional resources and other related issues in both group and individual settings.
- Conducts one to one sessions with clients in need of nutritional counseling.
- Provide professional expertise in consultation and collaboration with program staff and refers clients to other agencies as necessary.
- Work in collaboration with the Food Resource Coordinator to ensure appropriate meals and snacks are provided for the women and children in groups each week.

WHAT WE VALUE IN A CANDIDATE:

- Registered Dietitian (RD) designation, which requires a Bachelor of Science in Dietetics and the completion of an appropriate internship or equivalent combination of education and experience.
- Current, full registration with the College of Dietitians of British Columbia
- At least one year's previous experience working in community-based programs to provide support to women who have social/lifestyle risks and/ or other related experience with "at-risk" populations.
- A sound understanding of cultural competency with an ability to be sensitive, respectful, confidential and caring when dealing with diverse values, beliefs and lifestyles.
- No criminal record.

Since 1971, Burnaby Family Life has been offering quality community social services in Burnaby and in neighboring communities working every day to make this a more inclusive, welcoming, and safe community for all. www.burnabyfamilylife.org

Please forward your resume to: Liliana Hernandez

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Closing date: until filled

Starting Date: November 2023

Location: 7355 Canada Way and 613 Queens Ave, New West

Contracted Hours: 7.5 hours weekly

Tuesdays- New Westminster Location

10:30 am – 2:30 pm (4 hours)

• Wednesdays- Burnaby Location

10:30 am - 2:00 pm (3.5 hours)

Flexibility is required to facilitate one addition

session each quarter on Thursdays 11-2.30pm at

Burnaby location.

Compensation: \$36-\$39 per hour

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

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