

FAMILY SERVICES of the NORTH SHORE Contract Position Individual, Couple & Family Counselling

Position: Contract Counsellor

Position #: 13-1106

Reports to: Program Manager / Clinical Supervisor – Individual, Couple & Family Counselling

Location: North Vancouver office

Closing Date: until filled

The Agency:

Family Services of the North Shore is an accredited, not-for-profit community based organization which provides counselling, education and support to those living or working in North & West Vancouver, Bowen Island and Lion's Bay. Family Services of the North Shore also provides province-wide programming in the prevention of eating disorders.

The Program:

Our Individual, Couple and Family Counselling program provides clinical counselling services on a fee-for-service basis for clients who are in need of clinical support in their lives. Fees are assessed on a sliding scale to ensure that services are accessible for as many clients as possible.

The Position:

This position is for a contract counsellor to provide services, primarily to female clients, in either Farsi or English as requested by the client. This position will see primarily individual adults but may also see couples and families. The successful candidate can expect to work approximately 6-10 hours per week. Clients must be seen primarily in the evenings and possibly on Saturdays.

The Requirements:

The successful candidate will have a Masters degree in clinical counselling or social work or equivalent and be registered with an accredited counselling association (RCC, RSW, CCC or equivalent). Candidates must have a minimum of 3 years of experience providing clinical counselling services to clients who present with a large variety of therapeutic concerns.

The successful candidate must be able to demonstrate an understanding of how the therapeutic relationship is shaped by diversity issues.

Language fluency in Farsi is required for this position as the successful candidate will primarily be seeing Farsi speaking women.

Please respond, in confidence, to:

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While we thank all applicants for their interest, only short-listed candidates will be contacted.