



Community Service Worker (Summer Student)

Wages: \$21 per hour for 30 hours a week for 9 weeks

Anticipated Start Date: TBD

Location: Bridgewater, NS with the possibility of occasional remote work

Apply before May 13, 2026, with interviews likely happening in person or virtually May 20.

Description:

You'll be supporting healthy sexuality in the community by providing in office and outreach services including one-on-one peer support, presentations, and resource development. You must qualify for funding under the Canada Summer Jobs program and have completed the equivalent of one year at college or university.

You will be responsible for helping to operate a small sexual health centre and answering basic questions, providing supportive listening, and helping folks navigate sexual health care services in the community. You will also support youth, 2SLGBTQ+ folks, people with disabilities, and those marginalized by socio-economic status. You'll work in collaboration with permanent staff to support all centre operations including marketing, health promotion, governance, data collection, research, and digital outreach via social media channels and our website blog. Above all, you will be expected to handle confidential information and work with people to ensure their needs are met on site, or by a warm referral to another agency in the community.

We are looking for someone

- who will enjoy engaging with community partners, talking to folks at events, and who will represent us positively and in line with organizational values
- who has experience creating social media graphics and videos
- who has an interest in developing and delivering workshops/presentations
- has strong skills writing in English, preference will be given to folks who are also able to speak and write in French and/or Indigenous languages
- has a driver's license and access to a vehicle (mileage will be compensated)
- with a demonstrated passion for community care, trans and nonbinary advocacy, gender, sexual health, and 2SLGBTQ+ issues
- with an anti-oppressive, anti-racist, disability justice, de-colonial, and trauma-informed lens on all work that they do

Perks:

While much of your work will be done in our office or through community events, you'll also have the opportunity to work remotely or flex your time to accommodate personal dates or obligations. We also offer all staff therapeutic adult tools at wholesale prices.

About Us:

South Shore Sexual Health is a resource centre for all ages that offers services, support, and supplies. We are pro-choice, youth-friendly and 2SLGBTQ+ positive. We believe that everyone should have access to quality, non-judgmental sexual education and resources. We offer guidance and pregnancy options counselling, as well as workshops. Folks can pick up free or low cost safer sex supplies, pregnancy tests, HIV self-tests, menstrual supplies, and gender-affirming gear.

The Process:

We are committed to the principles of equity in our hiring practices and value the knowledge and expertise gained through lived experience. We encourage applications from candidates whose background is diverse in terms of culture, race, language, religion, class, disability, gender identity/expression, and sexual orientation

We believe strongly in accessibility in all the work we do. Accommodations are available on request for candidates taking part in all aspects of the selection process; please advise at any point and we will work with you to meet your needs. Please send your resume with either a cover letter or 2-3 minute introductory video to ed@southshoresexualhealth.com with "APPLICATION - Summer Student" in the subject line. Please be sure to include your name in the file names of all documents submitted.

We thank everyone for their interest but we will only contact candidates selected for an interview. If contacted for an interview please be prepared to provide a minimum of 2 professional references.