

CAREERS

Occupational Therapist - Youth Justice Program

Block Building Therapies is an Occupational Therapy clinic that provides assessment and rehabilitation services to youths and adults with physical, cognitive, and mental health diagnoses. Our therapists and staff are offered competitive compensation, as well as opportunities for paid continuing education and training. Therapists have the ability to work flexible hours while working from home, the clinic, or community-based environments.

POSITION OVERVIEW:

As an Occupational Therapist at Block Building Therapies, you will operate with a high degree of independence as a member of a forensic multidisciplinary team engaged in rehabilitation of youth offenders in the Manitoba Justice System. The incumbent will participate in the planning, delivery and evaluation of required needs within the scope of occupational therapy services; using a client centered, goal orientated approach for this demographic. These services include assessment, direct intervention, consultation and public/parent/caregiver education and training within a variety of settings, both in facilities and community settings within Winnipeg and the province of Manitoba. The Occupational Therapist may also provide clinic supervision and training to provisional members and participate in the education of other community members as required. The incumbent will exercise the appropriate level of initiative and independent judgment in determining work priorities, work methods to be employed and action to be taken on unusual matters.

QUALIFICATIONS & SKILLS

- Master's degree or equivalent entry level requirement in Occupational Therapy.
- Active registration with the College of Occupational Therapists of Manitoba (COTM).
- Membership and insurance with the Canadian Association of Occupational Therapists (CAOT).
- Clinical knowledge of FASD, OPP, ADHD, PTSI and other trauma related diagnoses and treatments.
- Demonstrated ability to build and maintain professional working relationships with clientele, management and staff within Provincial Justice facilities and community shareholders.
- Given the cultural diversity of our clientele, the ability to respect and promote a culturally diverse population is required; knowledge of indigenous teachings and culture would be an asset.
- Demonstrated ability to work within ever changing environments.
- Possess excellent communication skills with an ability to multi-task and prioritize.
- Remain up to date on documentation/case notes both in paper file and on our secure online portal.
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office 365 application, including Outlook, Teams, etc.
- Demonstrate effective decision-making and problem-solving skills.
- Must demonstrate proficient organizational and time management skills.
- Knowledge and understanding of clinical reasoning skills and evidence-based practice.

Please submit your cover letter and resume by email to:

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