



Infant Development Program (IDP) Consultant & Coordinator

5 hours/week \$25.27 - \$26.38/hour

Lower Similkameen Community Services Society (LSCSS) is a multi-service organization providing services from early to senior years to the rural communities of Keremeos, Cawston, Hedley and Olalla. Our organization is committed to provide excellent programs that enhance quality of life by improving the social conditions, housing, health and education of our citizens. We are a major local employer, with over 40 employees.

Be part of a dynamic and forward thinking team that is continuously looking at how we best support families with children 0-6, with a focus on those who have or may be at risk of having developmental delay or disability.

Position Overview:

As in IDP Coordinator you support families primarily in their home by encouraging and facilitating parent-child interaction building upon the family's strengths, routines and resources. You bring your experience and understanding of child development, alongside interpersonal and communication skills, to enhance families' knowledge and attention to their child's development. You work collaboratively with families to plan, identify and chose activities and community resources. You work with families to develop and review Individual Family Service Plans, determine if additional professional consultations are necessary and to advocate for early intervention services.

Qualifications include: BA in early childhood development or related field (psychology, social work); Certificate in Infant Development and Supported Child Development (UBC); One-year experience working with infants and young children with atypical development and their families; Three-years experience as an Infant Development Consultant; Administering formal and informal developmental assessment tools; Using cultural safety framework when working with indigenous families and communities; Competency in principles and techniques of early intervention in delayed development; Or, an equivalent combination of education, training and experience determined to be reasonable and relevant to the level of work; Class 5 Driver's licence and access to a vehicle for work purposes; Current First Aid and CPR-C for children; Current Food Safe.

Please send resume marked "IDPCoord 22-06" by e-mail to: Recruiting@LSCSS.com.

Complete position description available at www.LSCSS.com. For further information contact Julie Ellison, Manager of Operations & Finance, (250) 499 2352 x130.