The Mission of Nipigon District Memorial Hospital is to deliver excellence in rural health care with our partners for all residents in our communities.



PERSONAL SUPPORT WORKER Assisted Living Program & Long Term Care

BARGAINING UNIT: UNIFOR SALARY: As per Collective Agreement

START DATE: ASAP WORK STATUS: TEMPORARY PART TIME

POSTING DATE: October 23, 2017 CLOSING DATE: October 30, 2017

Nipigon Hospital is committed to delivering health care in a manner that is consistent with Patient/Resident and Family Centred Care. Applicants are required to have a demonstrated knowledge and understanding and commitment to this philosophy of care.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Must be a graduate of a recognized PSW course, or equivalent as approved by the Chief Nursing Executive
- Current CPR and First Aid Certification
- Will have experience working with seniors and/or chronic care residents in a health care facility and in the home environment
- Good physical and mental health. Demonstrates maturity and tactfulness
- Evidence of a current vulnerable sector reference check
- Excellent communication skills, including written documentation
- Well developed critical thinking, judgment and problem solving skills
- Demonstrates a genuine interest in and concern for clients and residents
- Bilingualism is an asset
- Demonstrated regular attendance
- Valid driver's license, valid insurance and access to vehicle for home visits

DUTIES:

Personal Support Worker (PSW) shall provide Assisted Living services for high risk seniors who do not need 24 hour nursing care and are able to continue to reside at home.

The PSW shall provide a combination of personal support and home making services, security checks or reassurance services and care coordination.

In the event that shifts are not available in the Assisted Living Program, the PSW may be assigned duties in the Long Term Care Unit.

SUBMIT APPLICATION TO:

Rebecca McEwen, Nurse Manager Nipigon District Memorial Hospital, Box 37, 125 Hogan Road Nipigon, ON POT 2JO Email <u>-rmcewen@ndmh.ca</u>

Nipigon District Memorial Hospital is an equal opportunity employer. Upon request, we are prepared to provide accessibility accommodation.

Nipigon Hospital strives to ensure the safety and security of its patients, residents, visitors, employees and assets financial and otherwise. As one tool in the recruitment screening process, all offers of employment to external candidates shall be conditional upon a satisfactory Vulnerable Sector Check to ensure the absence of relevant criminal convictions.