

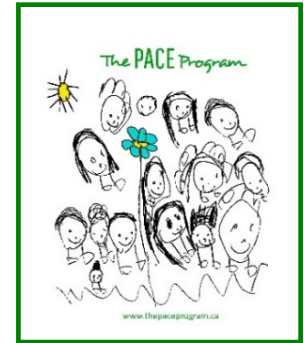
Acknowledging that we live, work and play on the traditional unceded territories of the Coast Salish Peoples – s̓k̓w̓x̓w̓ú7mesh (Squamish), sel̓íl̓w̓it̓ul̓h (Tsleil-Waututh), and x̓ʷm̓əθ̓k̓ʷəj̓əm (Musqueam) Nations.

Unique Employment Opportunity:

Early Childhood Educator - Outreach Support Service

Temporary positions available – Immediately To March 2022

The PACE Program is looking for a creative and flexible individual to join our supportive and skilled professional team within our Outreach Support Services. This is a temporary part-time/full-time opportunity for an Early Childhood Educator to work within a team to provide support to young children who demonstrate emotional and/or behavioural challenges. Intensive Experience in Early Childhood programs is essential. Experience consulting to ECE programs is highly desirable.



Outreach Support Services includes offering hands-on support and consultation to early childhood and school age programs, in Vancouver and Richmond, supporting children with high emotional and behavioural challenges.

Duties and Responsibilities include:

Assessment of Needs & Situation

- In consultation with preschools, daycare centre and school aged programs/staff; providing intervention and prevention strategies/offering suggestions regarding working with children with emotional and/or behavioural challenges, and supporting parents, as required.
- Supporting the planning and implementation of therapeutic/education play-based programs for individual or groups of child/children between the ages of 1½ -12 with a focus on early intervention and prevention.

Engaging Clients

- Modeling teaching skills and other related staff training, including direct work with children.
- Facilitating input into services delivery. Offering opportunities for feedback throughout service and evaluation at defined times.
- Participating in family conferences with parents; centre staff and other involved community agency staff re: progress of individual children/services.

Therapeutic and Educational Support

- Providing and/or developing appropriate educational materials and resources.
- Participating in the maintenance of resource materials for staff, parents and professionals.
- Facilitating input into services delivery. Offering opportunities for feedback throughout service and evaluation at defined times.
- Participating in centre team meetings; offering in-service education as needed and desired.
- Working with centre staff in supporting families in the centre, facilitating skill development and education.

Case/File Management & Overall Planning

- Ensuring documentation/record keeping required is completed in timely manner and in accordance with accreditation requirements and standards.
 - Records can include: reporting on services provided, debriefing notes from each visit, summaries and letter writing.

Liaising with Social Workers and Other Service/Care Providers

- Liaising with social workers and other professionals to establish systemic and collaborative working relationship.

Documentation/ Reporting

- Maintaining program delivery in accordance with defined accreditation requirements and standards. This includes tracking service delivery outcomes, client feedback and direct/in-direct service time as well as other defined indicators.

Other Administrative Tasks

- Participating in regular Outreach Support Services Staff consultation meetings.
- Participating in program meetings, team meetings, program evaluation and in-service education where applicable, as a contractor.

The Family Program is a unique, innovative program with a high ratio of teachers to children, offering a supportive environment to work intensively with both the child and their family, developing social/emotional skills and attachments. The position requires some time spent in/observing this program.

Other opportunities within other services offered by PACE may evolve with experience, interest and funding.

At PACE, we believe strongly in supporting team members' growth, and welcome those who are interested in joining us in this pursuit. We provide regular clinical consultation and ongoing professional development opportunities.

What you bring:

- ECE qualifications/minimum of 4 years' experience **required**
- Current First Aid
- Intensive experience in a variety of childcare settings is **essential**
- Experience consulting to ECE programs is **highly desirable**
- An interest in learning and professional growth
- An appreciation for working with a team.

What we offer:

- **Position start date: As soon as Possible to March 2022**
- 24-30 hours per week, with the possibility of additional hours
- Competitive wage & benefits
- Supportive team & rich learning environment
- For more information, please visit our website: www.thepaceprogram.ca

Please forward: 1) resume and 2) cover letter by email: admin@thepaceprogram.ca

NOTE: Posting will continue until position is filled. Interviews will be scheduled as resumes received. Unfortunately only those short-listed will be contacted. Thank you in advance for your interest.