

## **Summer Employment Opportunity: Family Support Worker**

35 hours a week – 8 weeks

### **Support Worker - In Home and Community**

Durham Association for Family Resources and Support is seeking 4 full time Support Workers for July and August. You will be responsible for working with families served by our agency, on an individual basis, to provide support and enjoyment during the summer.

### **About Us**

DFR works in partnership with families with a member who has an intellectual disability or a child with a physical disability, providing Family Support (services, resources, and other types of assistance) that enhance the capacity of the whole family to care for one another and to sustain and/or enhance their valued social roles as family members and as members of the community.

### **The ideal candidate will possess and/or demonstrate the following:**

- Broad variety of leisure interests, music, dance, play, reading, outdoor recreation activities
- Demonstrate an understanding and appreciation: punctuality, listening, positive energy, importance of family and knowledge of the local community
- Ability to work as a team

### **General Responsibilities include the following:**

- Working with families in a custom, individual basis
- Participating in a flexible visit schedule with families
- Journaling the experience with families

### **Application Process**

Qualified candidates email their Cover Letter and resume no later than 4:30 pm June 11, 2021

To be eligible, youth must:

- be between 15 and 30 years of age at the start of the employment;
- be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or person to whom refugee protection has been conferred under the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* for the duration of the employment; and,
- have a valid Social Insurance Number at the start of employment and be legally entitled to work in Canada in accordance with relevant provincial or territorial legislation and regulations
- Provide a clear vulnerable sector check on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of employment

We are an Equal Opportunity Employer in accordance with the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act and the Ontario Human Rights Code. The Durham Association for Family Resources and Support will provide accommodation throughout the recruitment and selection process to applicants with disabilities.

DFR supports diversity, equity and a workplace free from harassment and discrimination. We encourage applications from all qualified candidates.

We thank all applicants for their interest; however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.