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# Housing Outreach Worker - Youth Housing First

### **Description**

e4c is committed to reducing poverty and empowering vulnerable populations in Edmonton through various programs and initiatives. As part of the Youth Housing First Team, you will play a crucial role in helping youth aged 16-24 secure sustainable housing and access the necessary financial benefits.

As a Housing Outreach Worker (HOW), you will assist persons served in securing housing, participating in case management, and accessing resources to aid in housing sustainability. Your role involves supporting youth in finding and securing appropriate housing, mentoring them to develop positive landlord relationships, and providing resources for housing start-up necessities.

# Responsibilities Important Work You Will Do at e4c:

### Housing Outreach:

- Build relationships with Property Managers and Landlords.
- Assist youth in finding and securing housing.
- Mentor youth on landlord relationships.
- · Support using trauma-sensitive, harm-reduction methods.

### • Case Management:

- Develop trust-based relationships with youth.
- Guide youth through housing transitions.
- Develop goals and action plans.
- · Connect youth to community resources and services.

### Qualifications

### What You Bring to the Team:

- **Education:** Degree or Diploma in Child and Youth Care (CYC), Social Work, Human Services, or related field.
- Experience:
  - 1+ year with marginalized, high-risk, and vulnerable populations.
  - $\circ\,$  Experience with youth, social services, and Indigenous populations.
  - Knowledge of harm reduction, trauma, addictions, mental health, homelessness, and Indigenous culture.
  - Crisis de-escalation skills.
  - · Proficiency in MS Office and database management.
- **Skills:** Strong relationship-building, assessment, referral, and case management skills.

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### **Job Benefits**

- Robust Benefits Package
- RRSP Matching after one-year full-time employment
- · 3 Weeks Paid Vacation

## Hiring organization

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### **Employment Type**

Full-time

#### Job Location

9321 Jasper Avenue, T5H 3T7, Edmonton, Alberta

#### **Working Hours**

Monday- Friday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

### **Date posted**

July 25, 2024

### **Base Salary**

\$21.61

### **Contacts**

Prior to successful employment with e4c, applicants are required to submit a Police Information Check with Vulnerable Sector Check and Intervention Record Check (IRC).

Please apply for your Police Intervention Check with Vulnerable Sector Search via your local RCMP detachment or Edmonton Police Service.

You are encouraged to apply for your Intervention Record Check immediately. There is no cost to apply for an IRC. To access the IRC application form click below. Please email your completed form with picture ID to CS.IRCEdmonton@gov.ab.ca

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Please include the position(s) title you are applying for in the subject line.

Please send a thoughtful cover letter and resume to careers@e4calberta.org.

- Paid Sick Time
- Employee Family Assistance Program (EFAP)
- Professional Development Opportunities