

 Counsellor

 (21 – 35 hours weekly)

 OPSEU Local 684

***Our Vision****: Mentally Healthy People in a Healthy Society*

***Our Mission****: To promote the mental health of all people*

**The Position:**

CMHA is seeking a highly motivated counselling professional to provide person-centered, strength- based, and goal orientated therapy and service. The successful applicant will work both independently and within a team environment to maximize the potential of individuals and groups.

## Qualifications:

* Master level in social work or Bachelor’s Degree with significant experience required
* A member in good standing in the OCSWSSW
* Minimum of 3 years’ experience in the fields of mental health and/or addictions with an emphasis in community based services
* Ability to work in partnership with clients and values lived experience
* Understands a recovery focused approach
* Experience in conducting bio-psychosocial assessments and utilizing therapeutic approaches such as Cognitive Behavioural Therapy, Brief Solution Focused Therapy, and experience working with couples and families
* Knowledge of Concurrent Disorders
* Excellent documentation and computer skills
* Demonstrates the ability to problem solve and make decisions
* Effective in communicating with others
* Ability to provide effective client services in English and French is an asset
* Valid driver’s license and vehicle is required
* First Aid/CPR Certificate
* Acceptable Police Vulnerable Person Check

**Salary**: $45,783 - $59,868 (based on 35 hours per week)

Please submit resume by **September 22, 2017** to:

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