The Opportunity

Health Care Planner
- Summer Position

We are looking for the right candidate to increase the healthy Indigenous lifestyle narrative by supporting our pilot initiative across Atlantic Canada: the Healthy Initiative Program. The candidate will take direction from the Health Promotion Program Officer (HPPO). This job is aimed at helping a young person increase their capacity in client service, teamwork, communication, leadership, and digital skills.

TASKS & RESPONSIBILITIES

- Work with the Senior Health Planner, HPPO, and other regional health care planners to recruit participants, mentors, and potential sponsors for Ulnooweg’s Health Lifestyle Initiative programs throughout the year. These programs might include:
  - Peace and Friendship Treaty Run
  - Summer Solstice Run
  - Learn to Run program
  - Virtual Health Speaker Series
  - Virtual Health Care Expo
- Help direct the Youth Health Care Planner’s activities.
- Support the creation, expansion, and promotion of health initiatives for UEC, specifically aimed at both the general Indigenous community and University and College students.
- Recruit and coordinate participants to UEC’s health promotion program. This will include communicating with local health clubs and social media outlets to spread the purpose of the program.
- Be an active participant in the development of a youth-led Health Program across all five regions in the four provinces.
- Conduct outreach and support to Indigenous-led and -owned health businesses as well as local schools and motivated Indigenous runners.
- Lead the activities in the designated region(s) in partnership with other members of Ulnooweg’s Atlantic health team.

Please email your resume and cover letter with subject “Health Care Planner” to Ulnooweg at careers@ulnooweg.ca

We thank you for your interest. Only those applicants selected for an interview will be contacted. Preference will be given to Indigenous applicants.

DETAILS:
Start Date: As soon as possible
Location: Labrador
Duration: 8 weeks, 35 hours per week
Compensation: $17/hour

To be eligible, candidates must:
- be between 15-30 years in age
- be an Indigenous Youth
- be a Canadian Citizen
- have a valid Social Insurance Number

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- Work in conjunction with UEC’s affiliated organizations and team members of its broader health mandate, including the Science & Innovation Program, Windhorse Farm, Ulnooweg Development Group’s Entrepreneurship Program and the Ulnooweg Indigenous Communities Foundation’s EleV Program.

- Support the overall team’s efforts in increasing the social media content promoting healthy lifestyles choices across the region.

- Take part in Ulnooweg’s overall programs to develop best practices in employee mental health initiatives, including cultural training, the Lunch with an Elder program, staff retreats, internal book clubs, etc.