



## Social Worker- Older Adult Services (Full-Time, 12 month term)

### Position Overview

Under the direction of the Manager of Adult Services, this position is an integral part of the Older Adult Services team in supporting the needs of elderly Jewish clients living in the community and encouraging continued connection and independence. Services are provided to a range of seniors and their families including Holocaust survivors, newcomer seniors, and individuals with mental health differences. Working within the agency's Older Adult Services team, responsibilities include: assessment, case management, supportive counselling, advocacy, linkage to services and resources, maintaining excellent working relationships with team members and participating in team planning and problem solving, performing a variety of administrative functions as required by the department. May be requested to assist in providing instruction to students and new staff.

### Experience

- Minimum five years experience preferred.

### Education

- Bachelor's Degree in Social Work (BSW) from a Canadian Association for Social Work Education (CASWE) accredited school/faculty, or a Provincially authorized post-secondary program, or the approved equivalent if internationally educated.
- Master's Degree in Social Work considered an asset.

### Registration

- Must be registered with Manitoba College of Social Workers.
- May be required to hold a valid Manitoba driver's license and have access to a reliable vehicle.

### Qualifications and Skills

- Ability to establish and maintain good interpersonal relationships.
- Must have effective written and verbal communication skills.
- Ability to work cooperatively with others and demonstrate sound judgment.
- Willingness to adapt to new concepts, techniques and best practices.
- Understanding of social welfare systems.
- Ability to practice independently and with minimum supervision.
- Demonstrated strong commitment to the profession of social work and the Canadian Association of Social Work (CASW) Code of Ethics and the Manitoba College of Social Workers Standards of Practice.
- Knowledge of Jewish culture considered an asset.



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- Must be organized in the workplace and determine clear priorities.
- Computer literacy.

*This position is subject to a satisfactory Criminal Records Check (including Vulnerable Sector Search), Child Abuse Registry Check and Adult Abuse Registry Check as conditions of employment.*

**Please submit resume and cover letter by April 21, 2021 to:**

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*Thank you to all applicants, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.*