

## Indigenous Wellness and Addictions Instructor - Part Time

**Date of Posting:** July 5, 2018

**Closing Date:** July 17, 2018

### **Overview:**

Six Nations Polytechnic is offering a 2-year college diploma program in Indigenous Wellness and Addictions at their Brantford Campus. We are currently recruiting for Instructors to start in September 2018.

If you are interested in playing a role in developing leaders and shaping the future of members of our community, then we encourage you submit your resume for this exciting position.

### **Responsibilities**

This exciting role requires the successful candidate(s) to develop and provide a holistic learning environment that includes designing, updating, delivering and evaluating curriculum in a variety of areas in the Indigenous Wellness and Addictions program. These areas include but are not limited to: Traditional healing, learning and teaching, Cultural specific helping, Challenges facing Indigenous communities, Interviewing, reporting and documenting, Addictions counselling skills, Relapse preventions, Multiculturalism, Psychology and sociology. A full list of the curriculum can be found on our website [www.snpolytechnic.com](http://www.snpolytechnic.com).

The instructor is responsible for providing academic leadership and developing an effective learning environment for students. This includes designing, revising and updating courses/curriculum; teaching assigned courses; consulting with stakeholders (faculty, community and industry partners); defining course objectives and evaluating student comprehension of objectives; utilizing a variety of instruction medium/resources; and provide individualize instruction where necessary. Other duties may be assigned as necessary.

### **Qualifications**

The successful applicant must have:

- Bachelor's Degree in Social Work, Psychology, Counselling or a related field of study; an equivalent combination of postsecondary education and related practical work experience may be considered; graduate degree preparation is considered an asset
- Extensive Indigenous knowledge relating to approaches to mental health, wellness and addictions prevention and counselling
- Minimum 2 years of teaching experience, or equivalent, preferably in a college setting
- Minimum 5 years practical experience related to the field of study
- Thorough knowledge of the multi-dimensional nature of the Wellness and Addictions field.
- Proven dedication to excellence in teaching and learning practices as well as commitment to student success.
- Past record of forging strong working relationships with peers and co-workers.
- Indication of contribution to a strong team environment and positive work culture.
- Evidence of commitment to guiding and supporting students toward success.
- Demonstrated ability to work with diverse student populations.
- Excellent written and oral communication skills.
- Strong organizational, problem solving, and analytical skills.
- Previous teaching experience at the post-secondary level and/or adult training experience.

- Knowledge and/or experience in the implementation of emergent curriculum/inquiry based learning and pedagogical documentation.

**Salary:**

Hourly rate of \$57.75.

**Application Procedure:**

Applications will be accepted until the position is filled:

1. A **cover letter** outlining relevant experience and qualifications. Please reference areas identified within the contract posting (i.e. fields of demonstrated excellence).
2. A **curriculum vitae/resumé** outlining relevant experience, educational background
3. Names and contact information for **three professional, community, and/or academic references.**

**Above application materials can be sent to the attention of:**

Taina Lickers-Smith, A/ Program & Placement Coordinator, SNP Brantford

Email: [taina.lickers-smith@snpolytechnic.com](mailto:taina.lickers-smith@snpolytechnic.com)

Please put "IWAP Job Posting" in the subject line.

**Or** in a sealed envelope mailed or hand delivered, clearly marked "IWAP Job Posting" to:

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