

Tsi Kanonhkhwatsheriyo Indigenous Interprofessional Primary Care Team

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Registered Dietician – 0.5 FTE (20 hours per week) Pay Rate: \$32.79 - \$40.96/hour based on experience

ABOUT US

Tsi Kanonhkhwatsheriyo IIPCT is an Indigenous-led Primary Care Team dedicated to providing culturally safe, holistic, and patient-centered health care to our community. Our interdisciplinary team includes physicians, nurse practitioners, nurses, mental health professionals, and traditional healing coordinators. We work to address the physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual needs of our patients while respecting Indigenous knowledge, traditions, and values.

POSITION SUMMARY

The Registered Dietitian provides culturally informed nutrition counselling, education, and programming to support the health and well-being of Indigenous clients across the lifespan. This role integrates traditional food knowledge, community practices, and Western nutrition guidelines to create safe, inclusive, and effective care plans.

The ideal candidate is passionate about community-based work, understands the diverse experiences of First Nations, Inuit, and Métis peoples, and is committed to advancing food sovereignty, cultural safety, and holistic health.

Key Responsibilities

- Provide one-on-one and group nutrition counselling for clients with a variety of needs including chronic disease management, prenatal/postnatal care, pediatrics, and general wellness.
- Incorporate Indigenous food knowledge, traditional harvesting practices, and culturally relevant approaches into nutrition programming.
- Develop and facilitate workshops, cooking circles, land-based learning activities, and other culturally grounded wellness initiatives.
- Work collaboratively with primary care teams, community health workers, Elders, Knowledge Keepers, and partner organizations.
- Support community food security initiatives such as community gardens, cultural food programs, and traditional food access.
- Create culturally safe, trauma-informed nutrition resources tailored to the community.
- Maintain accurate documentation and follow organizational policies and regulatory standards.
- Participate in community events, health promotion campaigns, and outreach activities.
- Uphold principles of Indigenous health, reconciliation, and culturally safe practice in all interactions.

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- Maintain IIPCT's values in the provision of culturally safe care.
- Maintain professional and respectful relations between staff, health services providers, and community partners.

EDUCATION, EXPERIENCE, KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES REQUIREMENTS

Required:

- Registered Dietitian (RD) in good standing with the College of Dieticians of Ontario
- Experience working with Indigenous communities or in Indigenous health settings.
- Knowledge of Indigenous cultures, traditional foods, health perspectives, and community protocols.
- Strong understanding of cultural safety, trauma-informed care, and impacts of colonization on health.
- Excellent communication and relationship-building skills.
- Travel within organization's catchment area

Preferred:

- Experience in community programming, group facilitation, and land-based education.
- Knowledge of community food sovereignty practices.

CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT:

- Must be able to provide a clear Vulnerable Sector check
- Must have current CPR/First Aid and AED certification
- Must have a valid 'G' Driver's License, clear Driver's Abstract
- Must be willing to travel between sites

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Indigenous applicants will be given priority and are asked to self-identify.

Please forward your cover letter and resume to Tsi Kanonhkhwatsheríyo IIPCT Executive Director Tera.osborne@iipct.com

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: Tuesday December 23, 2025 @430pm EST

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