



# VUNTUT GWITCHIN GOVERNMENT

Government of Vuntut Gwitchin First Nation

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## HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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## Wellness Counselor

### The Job:

Individual and group addictions counseling, planning and facilitating community workshops, and developing and delivering prevention initiatives provide considerable diversity in the duties of this position. The Community Wellness Worker reports to the Director of the Health and Social Department and works alongside the justice coordinator, native court worker, home & community care coordinator, community recreation, community health representative and administrative assistant.

### The Candidate:

The ideal candidate will hold a degree or diploma in one or more of the following: social work, psychology, psychotherapy, or a related field, or have extensive relevant experience combined with relevant training. The ideal candidate will have knowledge of the principles and practices of addictions counseling, prevention, pre-treatment and aftercare. The ideal candidate will have the skills to counsel and support individuals and families in achieving and sustaining healthy lives. Ability to organize and deliver workshops, develop policies and procedures, and communicate effectively and diplomatically, both verbally and in writing are required. If you are a caring, motivated individual who enjoys meeting and working with people of different cultures, this position might be what you've been looking for.

**Pay Range: \$56,677 - \$68,013 per annum plus an excellent benefit package.**

This is a permanent full-time position based on 32.5 hours per week. (6.5-hour workday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. & 1:00 to 4:30 p.m)

A detailed job description is available at: <http://www.vgfn.ca/employment>

Minimum one-year term commitment is required.

**Closing Date: January 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2010 @ 4:00 p.m. We thank all applicants but only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.**

Please submit resumes that include job experience related to position to:

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