

## JOB POSTING

<b>Job Title:</b>	<b>Recreation Worker</b>	<b>Status:</b>	<b>Full Time</b>
<b>Program:</b>	<b>ACCW</b>	<b>Start Date:</b>	<b>ASAP</b>
<b>Location:</b>	<b>Maple Ridge</b>	<b>Hourly Rate:</b>	<b>\$25.71 – \$28.50</b>
<b>Hours:</b>	<b>33 hours/week</b>	<b>Posting #:</b>	<b>22-115</b>
<b>Schedule:</b>	<b>Monday – Friday</b>	<b>Closing Date:</b>	<b>August 14, 2022</b>

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The Elizabeth Fry Society of Greater Vancouver (EFry) is a charitable organization that supports women, girls, and children at risk, involved in or affected by the justice system. Our programs work to break the cycle of poverty, addiction, mental illness, homelessness, and crime.

**We are recruiting for a full time, Recreation Worker.** Located within the Alouette Correctional Centre for Women (ACCW) in Maple Ridge, the Recreation worker supports women involved in the justice system by providing recreational and wellness-based activities within a secure women’s correctional setting.

### **KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Plans, organizes, implements, and evaluates full recreational activity program to meet clients’ needs. Program delivery for groups or individuals.
- Coordinates events (skill building workshops and provides regularly scheduled fitness classes.
- Coordinates with volunteers and speakers to provide health and wellness information pertaining to diet, exercise and pain management through physical activity and relaxation.
- Maintains data and statistics related to program deliverables, including number of participants, participation rates, programs delivered and evaluations.
- Provides modifications for clients who may have physical, mental, emotional, cognitive, or social limitations that can affect their attitude, ability, and motivation to participate in leisure activities.
- Provides education around wellness and models appropriate social skills and behaviour.
- Monitors and observes clients’ behaviour, reporting problems and concerns to the supervisor.
- Performs other duties as required.

### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Diploma or certificate in health and fitness studies with fitness certification.
- BCRPA Certification an asset.
- One (1) year recent experience as a fitness leader or personal trainer or equivalent combination of education and experience.
- Understanding of women’s issues and social determinants of health.
- Experience in establishing and implementing recreational activities that promote physical activity.
- Experience with recreation programming and leadership preferred.
- Demonstrated capacity to teach skills and work effectively with women of differing abilities.
- Ability to work within a multi-disciplinary team in a correctional setting.
- Knowledge of community resources.
- Excellent communication skills both written and verbal.

- Ability to work independently.
- Organization, time and general management skills.
- Understanding of crisis management, risk assessment, trauma and gender-informed practice.
- Proficient in MS word, excel, outlook and data entry.
- Ability to lift up to 30 lbs.

**MANDATORY JOB REQUIREMENTS:**

- Standard First Aid with CPR-C.
- Evidence of COVID-19 vaccination status.
- Doctor's Note of fitness required.
- Enhanced Security Screening & satisfactory Criminal Record Review (Vulnerable Sector Search).
- Valid driver's license (Class 5) with satisfactory driving record and access to a reliable vehicle.

EFry is an equal opportunity employer and is committed to building a diverse workforce and strongly encourages applicants that represent those we serve. We welcome applicants with non-traditional educational backgrounds and field experience.

Interested candidates must submit a cover letter and resume to [hr@efry.com](mailto:hr@efry.com) by no later than August 14, 2022, with the subject line RW 22-115.

**We thank all applicants for their interest in this opportunity; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.**