

# JOB POSTING

## ALGOMA SUBSTANCE ABUSE REHABILITATION CENTRE BRETON HOUSE – WOMEN’S RESIDENTIAL PROGRAM

### For the position of: **ADDICTION COUNSELLOR**

Breton House is a long term recovery home for women with substance addictions.

We require a full time counsellor with excellent addiction counselling skills and comprehensive knowledge of women’s issues. This individual will have exceptional ability in group and individual counselling and presentation skills. They will be knowledgeable about community resources, mental health issues and have the ability to work well independently and as a team member. This individual should be familiar with the Provincial Alcohol and Drug Assessment Tools. Oral, written and computer skills are essential to this position.

The agency’s residential program is based on the abstinence model of recovery however there will be a need for the individual hired to work from time to time within our harm reduction program and a working knowledge of both modalities will be an asset.

#### **Qualifications**

- Degree in Social Work and/or Addiction Studies or equivalent combination of education and experience
- 3 years experience in addiction specific counselling.
- High level of computer proficiency.
- Up to date CPR and First Aid Certification.
- ICADC designation an asset.
- Fluently bi-lingual an asset.

Please note this is a **Full Time One Year Contract**, Renewable after the First Year.

Interested candidates may pick up a pre-employment package at 91 Breton Road at any time between 10:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.

Apply in writing with a covering letter and resume **no later than 4:00 p.m. February 3, 2012.**

Interested candidates are asked to forward their resume to:

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**We thank all applicants but only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.**