



## **Job Title: Independent Living Support Worker**

### **Position Summary:**

Independent Living Supports (ILS) Worker provide support to residents. The ILS Worker assists participants to re-connect to their community, family, cultural identity; and become more independent through assisting in meeting the goals set out with the resident and support staff. The ILS worker enhances living stability along with providing housekeeping aid.

### **Education and Experience:**

- Minimum of one-year related employment experience
- Alberta Class 5 License, satisfactory driver's abstract and a vehicle an asset
- Vulnerable Sector Check
- Driver's abstract, valid driver's license and proof of \$2 million PLPD insurance

### **Knowledge, Skills and Abilities**

- Strong written and verbal communication and interpersonal skills, result oriented, good time management, strong organizational and problem-solving skills
- Good working knowledge of Microsoft Word and Excel programs
- Knowledge with issues of poverty, homelessness and Edmonton's urban core
- Knowledge working with high risk populations and an understanding of Aboriginal cultures, history and current issues
- Ability to speak Cree, Blackfoot or Dene a definite asset

### **Conditions of Work**

- 7.5 hour rotating shifts, **must** be able to work weekends and evenings.
- Operation of personal vehicle with required insurance (2 million-dollar passenger liability)

### **Benefits:**

- Health Benefits: Access to health insurance coverage, including medical, dental, and vision plans
- Indigenous Cultural Awareness: Access to ongoing cultural supports and paid ceremonial leave
- Meaningful Work: The satisfaction of making a positive impact on Indigenous communities by addressing the housing needs of Indigenous populations and working towards social justice.

- Collaborative Environment: The opportunity to work closely with diverse stakeholders, including Indigenous leaders, government officials, community members, and other professionals committed to Indigenous housing, fostering collaborative relationships and collective problem-solving.
- Community Engagement: The ability to engage directly with Indigenous communities, build relationships, and witness the positive outcomes of the agency's housing programs and initiatives.