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## **Women's Habitat of Etobicoke**

### **Community Development Support Worker**

### **Open to full time post-secondary students**

### **Temporary Position 9 weeks – 35 hours per week**

**Reports to:** Young Women's Counsellor

#### **Job Summary:**

Women's Habitat provides shelter and services to women identified individuals and their dependents who are survivors of violence. Our 25 bed emergency shelter has been providing women a safe place to rebuild their lives since 1978. An Outreach Centre was added in 2006.

Women's Habitat is currently looking to fill a Community Development Support Worker position. We are looking for dynamic a student interested in working for nine weeks in the non-profit sector. This is an excellent opportunity for any secondary school student looking to learn and grow with an agency that actively works to end violence against women and children.

With guidance from the counselling staff, the Community Development Support Worker will develop and implement activities for women in South Etobicoke who have experienced violence and attend our drop-in programs.

#### **Responsibilities:**

- Develop planning and organizational skills while working with community groups.
- Provide support with food preparation and basic hygiene items.
- Develop community and resources materials with guidance from staff.
- Provide leadership and support during group meetings in the community.
- Develop critical analysis by participating in team training and regular meetings.
- Other duties as assigned by the Manager or team members.



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**Qualifications:**

- Must be currently enrolled in a college or degree program that works with people in the social service sector such as Community Worker Program.
- Must have intent to return to school to complete or extend learning in this field.
- Have a desire to enhance skill development in the Violence Against Women sector.
- Must possess basic knowledge of computers.
- Must possess admin and time management skills
- Must be able to lift up to 30 lbs.
- Must be able to participate in outdoors activities and community groups.

**What we offer**

Women's Habitat will provide the successful candidates with a wide variety of training including, health and safety training, program planning and training on the effects of violence on children.

**Compensation:** \$14.00/hour

Posting closes May 18, 2018 5:00 pm. To apply for this position please forward resume and cover letter to [resume@womens-habitat.ca](mailto:resume@womens-habitat.ca)

*Women's Habitat is committed to the development of a staff team that reflects the diversity of the communities we serve. Applications from Aboriginal Women, Women of Colour, Lesbian, Bi-sexual and Trans-identified women are strongly encouraged.*

*\*\*\*Our agency is in compliance with AODA standards, should you need an accommodation please contact our Human Resources Manager, Sojie Tate at 416.252.7949 Ext 244 (TTY 416-252-0361) in advance of the interview.*

*We thank all applicants for their interest in working with Women's Habitat; however only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.*