



Every child and youth living life at their full potential.

About Grandview Kids

Grandview Kids provides an array of specialized programs, rehabilitation services, and outpatient clinical treatments to children and youth with physical, communication, and developmental needs. Programs and services – which are delivered at the Centre, in the community, at schools, and in-home – include: medical consultation, assessment, and diagnosis; audiology, autism support; complex care program; occupational therapy; physiotherapy; respite services; social work; speech-language pathology; therapeutic recreation; and family engagement. Grandview Kids actively participates in research to support innovation in rehabilitation science, to advance organizational capabilities, and to better serve caregivers and the developmental needs of their children and adolescents. As an organization, we are dedicated to inspiring possibilities, fostering development, and supporting growth and personal achievement with our clients, caregivers, and team members. Through a collaborative, multi-disciplinary approach, members of Team Grandview strive to provide culturally safer, inclusive, and innovative evidence-informed care that meets the unique needs of each client.

Grandview Kids is now accepting applications for the position of:

Recreation Assistants (6 positions)

- Causal – Up to 15 hours per week
- Salary: \$49,296.0000 – \$57,661.50 per year, depending upon experience
- Commencing September 2024 to March 28, 2025
- Onsite / In-Person

Under the general direction of the Clinical Manager, Clinics and Specialised Supports and day to day supervision of the Recreation Therapist, the Recreation Assistant assists in facilitation of recreational programs for clients, ensuring the safety of clients and the integrity of sites used for activities; assists in indirect client care; provides leadership, direction and support to program volunteers; maintains communication with all other staff members; supports departmental/Centre efforts in Quality Improvement Program (QIP) activities; participates in education, orientation and public relations as required; maintains a safe work environment; and performs other duties as assigned.

Responsibilities

The Recreation Assistant facilitates high standard of maintenance, cleanliness and attractiveness of the Grandview Children's Centre by:

- Assisting in planning, implementation and facilitation of group programs for clients
- Assisting with implementation of treatment goals as set by a Recreation Therapist
- Modifying activities to meet needs and abilities of participants
- Providing a safe and age appropriate fun atmosphere that fosters the development of leisure
- Assisting clients with positioning on equipment and assisting parents and therapists in transfers;
- Observing client activity and recording/reporting as required
- Supporting clients in use materials or supplies, under direction of the Recreation Therapist
- Distributing materials or supplies to clients, as directed by the Recreation Therapist;

Qualifications

- Graduate of College Level Recreation program or equivalent degree or college diploma in therapeutic recreation or equivalent
- R/TRO , R/DIP or CTRS designation is an asset
- Minimum 3 years' experience working with children, youth and their families with physical and developmental disabilities, and experience planning and facilitating group recreation programs.
- Possess a valid driver's license.

You have a deep commitment to family-centred care and a passion for working with others to support children to achieve their personal best.

How to apply

Please forward a resume and cover letter clearly stating Job 24.69 to careers@grandviewkids.ca by September 10th, 2024, at 5 p.m. EST. Please address your correspondence to:

Human Resources

Grandview Kids

600 Townline Road South

Oshawa, ON L1H 0C8

Our commitment to belonging.

Grandview Kids aims to be deliberate in our consideration of diversity, defined as differences in race, colour, place of origin, religion, immigrant and newcomer status, ethnic origin, ability, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, and age. Recognizing and valuing diversity and equity must be accompanied by concerted efforts to ensure the inclusion of diverse and underrepresented populations, meaning that individuals must be and feel valued, respected, and equally supported. We invite applicants in the above defined areas to apply.

Grandview Kids is committed to complying with all applicable standards as set out in the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005 (AODA). If you have accessibility needs and require alternate formats or other accommodations throughout this process, please contact Human Resources.

Land acknowledgement.

The lands, waters, nature and sky that Grandview Kids is privileged to exist within have long been home to the Michi Saagiig Anishinaabeg. We acknowledge the lands of the traditional and treaty territories covered under the Williams Treaties, including the Mississaugas of Scugog Island First Nation, Alderville First Nation, Hiawatha First Nation, Curve Lake First Nation and the Chippewa Nation of Georgina Island, Beausoleil and Rama. We are responsible for building stronger relationships with clients, caregivers, partners and colleagues from First Nations, Métis and Inuit communities.

Through our shared values of belonging, excellence, connection discovery and celebration, Grandview Kids commits to seeking truth and upholding reconciliation.

We thank all applicants. Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.