



Speech & Language Pathologist Job Description

Job Posting Date: April 27, 2009

Agency: The Asante Centre for Fetal Alcohol Syndrome

Governed by the Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder Society for BC

The Asante Centre is located in the downtown core of Maple Ridge, BC, Canada. The not-for-profit organization opened its doors in 2000 to provide diagnostic, assessment and family support services, based on a multidisciplinary team approach, for children, youth and adults affected by FASD. Referrals for assessment primarily come from the Fraser and Vancouver Coastal Regions as well as from around the province of BC. The Asante Centre is also contracted to provide a number of ASD assessments for the Fraser Health Region.

Position: We are looking for an experienced SLP with an interest in FASD and ASD. The position is part time with some flexibility of hours. A competitive salary is offered, with benefits and annual vacation time.

Duties include: Completing assessments, consulting with the multidisciplinary team, including psychologists and paediatricians, to formulate a diagnosis, presenting assessment outcomes and diagnosis to the individual, their family and support team and formulation of recommendations. Strong communication skills, both oral and written are essential.

The individual selected for this position may also have the opportunity to provide education to others working with individuals with FASD, including families, people working in the justice system and educators. Experience with presentations and workshop facilitation is an asset.

Openings to provide therapy to individuals with a range of speech and language impairment are also available, as are research opportunities. Please see www.asantecentre.org for more information.

Qualifications:

- Masters level degree in Speech-Language Pathology.
- Eligible for certification with CASLPA.
- Eligible for registration with BCASLPA.
- Experience with FASD and ASD assessment preferred but willing to train.
- Strong collaborative team skills.
- Excellent interpersonal/communication skills.
- Flexibility and time management is essential.
- Vehicle required.
- Excellent computer skills also required.

Please send resumes to: resumes@asantecentre.org

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