



## Intergenerational Child Care Program Assistant

### Bachelor of Early Learning & Child Development Student Placement

Andrew Fleck Children's Services (AFCS) is looking for a student for our Intergenerational Child Care student placement opportunity. In this 15-week placement the student will be leading research and the development of guidelines that will shape Andrew Fleck Children's Services direction toward creating a truly intergenerational program for children and seniors.

*This is an unpaid placement opportunity. 8 weeks of funding through Canada Summer Jobs (CSJ), an initiative to help youth gain job skills and experience, may be available for qualified students, however funding is unlikely to be confirmed until May 2020. All applicants must be currently enrolled in 3<sup>rd</sup> year of Bachelor of Early Learning and Community Development Program at Algonquin College for this placement.*

- Available from:** May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020 to August 14<sup>th</sup>, 2020 (flexible)
- Hours:** 35 hours per week
- Salary:** \$17.11 per hour + 4% vacation pay (dependent on approval for funding from CSJ)
- Location:** 700 Industrial Avenue
- Closing date:** March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2020
- Apply:** E-mail: [hrrecruiting@afchildrensservices.ca](mailto:hrrecruiting@afchildrensservices.ca)

#### In this role you will...

- ✓ Research and develop resources and tools on:
  - the benefits of intergenerational programs
  - the value of intergenerational programs to all participants
  - myths and stereo type attitudes
  - the unique synergy between old and young
  - social trends
  - how to naturally thread chosen activities of the children with seniors
  - barriers to inclusive participation (seniors & children integration)
- ✓ Conduct a SWOT exercise
- ✓ Contribute to the development of guiding principles for programs (respectful practices, evaluation process and reflections).
- ✓ Contribute to the design of policies that would pertain to engagement, questionnaires, sign-up sheets, tip sheets for seniors, parents and staff about the program and onboarding considerations.

#### To qualify for this role you have ...

- ✓ Enrolment in 3<sup>rd</sup> year of the Bachelor of Early Learning and Community Development program
- ✓ Clear Police Record Check (Vulnerable sector) completed in the last 6 months
- ✓ Respectful communication skills, both verbal and written in a professional manner
- ✓ Ability to organize and problem solve as issues arise
- ✓ Research & presentation skills
- ✓ Strong written communication skills
- ✓ Ability to work independently
- ✓ Strong knowledge on child development & early learning programming
- ✓ Ability to work as part of a team
- ✓ Strong computer skills (Outlook, Word, Internet)

We are an equal opportunity employer. We thank all applicants for their interest; however only those selected for an interview will be contacted. Should the applicant require any accommodations during the application process please notify Human Resources at [hrrecruiting@afchildrensservices.ca](mailto:hrrecruiting@afchildrensservices.ca)

