



Selkirk First Nation

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Employment Opportunity

Position: Director Health and Wellness
Wage: \$112,268.52 - \$133,855.72 per annum
Department: Wellness
Status: Permanent, Full-time
Closing Date: February 13, 2026

Job Summary

Within the guiding principles of the Selkirk First Nation (SFN) Constitution, the Community Wellness Department strives to improve the overall health of the SFN community and empower its citizens to take action of their own physical, mental, spiritual, and social well-being. The department promotes, protects, and enhances healthy living and respectful relationships and adheres to cultural and traditional values, beliefs, laws, and protocols and best practices in public health policy and management.

Reporting to the Executive Director, the Director of Health and Wellness provides strategic and operational leadership for the delivery of culturally relevant health and wellness programs and services. Reporting to the Executive Director, Governance, the Director oversees preventative health, mental wellness, addictions support, community wellness initiatives, and emergency/crisis response. This role requires strong leadership, collaboration, and accountability for advancing holistic community wellness while ensuring compliance with legislation, funding agreements, and SFN policies. The Director supervises the Health and Wellness Manager, IRS Support Worker and Income Assistance Case Manager.

Education/Experience

- University degree in Health Sciences, Public Health, Social Sciences, Education, or related field (Master's degree preferred). A combination of education, training, and experience will be equally considered.
- Demonstrated leadership experience in health and wellness program delivery.
- Proven success in strategic planning, program development, and evaluation.
- Experience in financial management, including budgets and funding agreements.
- Experience supervising, coaching, and mentoring staff.
- Proficiency using office software (e.g., MS Office).

Conditions of Employment

- Security Clearance / RCMP Criminal Records Check
- Valid Yukon Class 5 Drivers' License
- Mandatory on-call as required
- Comply with SFN policies and procedures
- Signed Oath of Confidentiality
- Signed Oath of Intoxicants
- Attendance at General Assemblies and Community Meetings
- Willingness to occasionally work flexible or irregular hours, which may include weekends or evenings
- Willing to travel outside the community as required

For more information, please contact Keyshawn Sawyer, Deputy Chief at:
sawyerk@selkirkfn.com.

To apply, email your application/resume to SFN Human Resources at:
Catherine.Verberg@selkirkfn.com **or bring to the Front Desk at the Administration Building.**

SFN HR thanks all applicants, but only those selected to advance will be contacted.

Preference to SFN Citizens