

# Venture Academy

## Youth Counselling & Treatment Programs



Employment Posting

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### **Child and Family Psychologist / Clinical Director**

Parenting Specialist to work with struggling teens, their families and Venture Academy clinical team members.

Qualified candidates will possess a Ph. D. in Psychology and have a minimum five years experience working with youth and families in a clinical leadership role and/or outcome oriented counselling capacity, preferably in residential treatment settings. Extensive knowledge of adolescent development, DSM 4 and concurrent disorders required.

### **Your Contribution Includes:**

Superior written and verbal skills. Implementation of psychometric testing, assessment interpretation and report compilation. Family counselling, communication with loving and challenging parents and astute clinical professionals. Implementation of Solution Oriented Brief Therapy practices and similar modalities as well as intimate working knowledge of Collaborative Problem Solving. Elucidation of positive behavioural change. On site clinical consultation with youth clients and staff, regular telephone consultation with parents as the consumer. Rotating contribution to our internal after hours response team and ability to meet quickly emerging deadlines. Flexibility, very high professional standards, positive energy, leadership skills and ability to build rapport.

### **In Return You Receive:**

\$90,000 - \$95,000 salary, liability coverage, a positive, happy, energetic and challenging work environment, integration into a dynamic team focussed on positive change as a result, and happy families who will express their thankfulness and gratitude.

This is a full time employment position in beautiful Kelowna, British Columbia and is available immediately.

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