



WRAPAROUND FACILITATOR
Full-Time, 11 Month Contract

Do you love community work, have a passion for seeing families thrive, and do you have a philosophical orientation to strength-based work? Shalem is looking for a WrapAround Facilitator.

Shalem Mental Health Network is a dynamic Christian agency, offering innovative programs to both the Hamilton area and the province of Ontario. A member of Family Service Ontario, Shalem supports individuals, couples, families, workplaces and faith communities, serving everyone regardless of age, race, ability, religion, sexuality or gender. With a culture of learning, peace-making and professional excellence, Shalem strives to offer great care, as well as be a safe and collaborative place to practice.

Shalem's WrapAround work seeks to provide a comprehensive, holistic, youth and family-driven way of responding when children, youth or parents are experiencing serious or complex challenges that have not responded successfully to traditional service delivery. Wraparound puts the child or youth and family at the centre of their life-planning process, focusing on their strengths and empowering them with voice and choice. With support from a team of professionals and natural supports chosen by the family, the family's ideas and perspectives about what they need and what will be helpful drive all of the work in WrapAround. High Fidelity WrapAround offers strong outcomes as an evidence-based, preventative intervention.

This position will work in partnership with Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton to offer WrapAround services to its families.

The ideal candidate for this position will have a passion for community work, and be collaborative and strength-based in their practice. They will have a balance of skill in working with people and managing administrative tasks, working independently as well as within teams. The candidate will ideally have an understanding of child protection work, enjoy collaboration with child-serving professionals from various sectors, and be able to conceptualize clients as active and effective agents in their own recovery and wellness.

Position:

WrapAround Facilitator, 11 Month Contract (May 1, 2023 – April 1, 2024)

Responsibilities:

- Provide High Fidelity WrapAround services to individuals and families referred to Shalem by the Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton, for the purpose of preventing children and youth from entering or re-entering the care of the Society
- Participate in WrapAround training and regular coaching, as agreed upon with the WrapAround Coordinator
- Liaise with the Leadership Team of Shalem's WrapAround Hamilton program, for the purpose of leveraging community, natural supports for the WrapAround Participants referred by the Catholic Children's Aid Society of Hamilton

Qualifications:

- Bachelor level degree in social services, child and youth work, or acceptable equivalent.
- 3 years minimum experience in the human services field
- Experience as a WrapAround Facilitator is an asset. WrapAround training will be provided, if candidate is not already trained.
- Experience in child welfare is an asset
- Ability to work independently
- An ability to articulate an integrated approach to faith and social work practice

Please submit your CV and cover letter by April 3, 2023 by email to:
Danielle VandenAkker, Managing Director, daniellev@shalemnetwork.org

Shalem Network strives to embody the values of respect, collaboration and diversity, and has a strong commitment to employment equity. In our goal is to foster diversity on our team, we are seeking qualified candidates who share our commitment to equity, diversity and inclusion.

We appreciate all applicants' interest; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted. Considering the equity considerations with interviews, we want to be respectful of your time. Candidates selected for an interview will receive a \$50 honorarium in recognition of their time and preparation in their application.