Hamilton Mental Health Outreach

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For 30 years we have provided services for adults with severe/persistent mental illness, affirming a psychosocial rehabilitation model supporting independent community living.

We require an: Occupational Therapist (O.T.) – Permanent, Full-Time for Adult Group Programming

The O.T. promotes or restores independence and improves the quality of life primarily for people with severe and persistent mental illness by developing, administrating and conducting occupational therapy group programming for the clients of Hamilton Mental Health Outreach and provides Occupational Therapy services as requested using the recovery-model focus.

This role works closely with our multi-disciplinary team of Psychiatrists and Intensive Case Managers who are Registered Nurses, Social Workers and Occupational Therapists in a client-centred model. The position also includes selected additional duties specific to the O.T. profession, has its own office, and will be of interest to O.T.s who enjoy the community setting working Monday to Fridays from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm.

Qualifications:

- > Proof of current registration with Ontario College of Occupational Therapy in good standing
- > Previous experience with individuals suffering from severe and persistent mental illness
- > Commitment to principles of psychosocial rehabilitation
- > Demonstrated success leading therapy groups a strong asset
- Bilingual French/English an asset
- > Driver's License and access to reliable vehicular transportation

Salary:	In accordance with the OPSEU Collective Agreement: \$37.22 per hour, plus a
	comprehensive and generous benefit and vacation package.

Hours of Work: 8:30 am – 4:30 pm, Monday to Friday. Unpaid lunch break of 45 minutes.

Send resume and letter of interest to <u>vvaitonis@hamiltonmentalhealthoutreach.ca</u> by 4:30pm, Monday, May 13, 2019. All applications to be held in strictest confidence.

We will accommodate candidates as required under applicable human rights legislation. If you require a disability-related accommodation during this process, please inform us of your requirements.

We thank all applicants for applying; however, only those candidates selected for interviews will be contacted.

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