

Social Worker Naomi Centre

About Us

Award-winning. Inspiring. Values-driven. Entrepreneurial spirit. These are some of the words that describe Stella's Circle, a leading social justice organization that works with over 1,500 people each year to help transform lives through housing, mental health, and employment.

The Position

Reporting to the Program Manager, you are responsible for providing support, counselling and advocacy to residents, former residents, families and groups. You will work closely with the Program Manager to provide supportive and crisis counseling to the young women that encourages them to make informed choices and decisions that potentially lead to greater stability in their lives so that they can return to their families or community.

What You'll Do

- Works from a strength based, solution-focused and trauma informed perspective to empower young women to make informed choices.
- Completes social work assessments to determine physical, mental and social well-being and develop case plans.
- Completes data entry utilizing HIFIS.
- Documents social work interventions in participants' files.
- Provides family support and counseling when needed.
- Practices harm reduction approaches in relation to at risk lifestyles and addiction issues.
- Refers women to counseling and therapeutic programs in and out-of-province.
- Case conferences with residents and community partners to identify and assist her in reaching goals.
- Accompanies residents to appointments and court, when requested.
- Works from a Housing First approach to provide assistance in securing housing.
- Advocates with the Income Support Program (AES&L) for residents to be approved appropriate funding rates.
- Advocates with community partners to secure safe accommodations for a woman when Naomi Centre is full.
- Provides outreach support to former residents.
- Completes assessments for the supportive housing units located at Patrick Street and Southside Road.

- Provides counseling, support and intervention to the tenants of Patrick Street and Southside Road housing units.
- Participates in staff meetings; chair staff meetings when Program Manager is unavailable.
- Participates in Clinical meetings within Stella's Circle.
- Participates in community-based committees, such as the Coalition Against the Sexual Exploitation of Youth.
- Supervises and/or provides training opportunities for students, including Social Work, Psychology and Nursing, on occasion.
- Provides support and guidance to the staff team.

What You'll Bring

- Bachelor of Social Work and must be registered with the Newfoundland and Labrador Association of Social Workers.
- A minimum of five years of experience counselling individuals and groups in the areas of mental health, homelessness, addiction and trauma.
- Experience in working within a residential setting
- Competency to work with women from a non-judgmental and harm reduction approach.
- Experience and knowledge of mental health and addictions in relation to homelessness.
- In-depth knowledge of broad spectrum of community-based services, organizations and resources.
- Suicide Intervention Training, Non-violent Crisis Intervention and First Aid is required.
- Valid driver's license required and access to a vehicle.
- Must be insurable on the company vehicle.
- Criminal Record Check with Vulnerable Sector Check.

The Details

This is a 3-month contract position, with possibility of extension. Normal hours of work are Monday to Friday with some flexibility required, totalling 70 hours bi-weekly. The starting hourly rate is \$37.19 - \$41.63. This is a unionized position with CUPE Local 3765.

How to Apply

Please send cover letter and resume by October 26th, 2025, to:

Human Resources Specialist
Stella's Circle
Email: recruitment@StellasCircle.ca

About Stella's Circle

Stella's Circle is a nationally celebrated charitable organization with a mission to help transform lives through Real Homes, Real Help and Real Work. Our wrap-around housing, mental health, and employment programs are rooted in recovery and inclusion. Our vision is A Home. A Job. A Community – for everyone. Learn more at <u>StellasCircle.ca</u>.

Stella's Circle is proud to be an equal opportunity employer that embraces diversity. We are committed to creating an inclusive environment for all individuals and ensuring full and equal participation for each individual in our community. We treat all people with respect and dignity, and recognize their rights, opinions, experience, knowledge, and competence. Stella's Circle encourages applications from people of colour, people of diverse sexual orientations and gender identities, Indigenous Peoples, those with physical and mental illness and/or challenges, and those who face any systemic barrier.