



## Job Ad

**Ministry:** Ministry of Children and Youth Services  
**Division:** Thunder Bay Youth Centre  
**Position Title:** SOCIAL WORKER  
**Duration:** 1 Permanent  
**Location:** 435 South James Street, Thunder Bay, P7E 6S9, North Region  
**Compensation Group:** OPSEU  
**Salary:** \$1,065.95 - \$1,312.85 (MplusM) per week\*  
**Position Status:** Open  
**Job Code:** 10104 - Social Worker 2  
**Schedule:** 3.7  
**Category:** Health and Social Services  
**Job ID:** 14583

Your strong desire to make a difference in the lives of others along with your registration as a social worker will make this opportunity with the Thunder Bay Youth Centre a perfect career for you.

Working in a multi-disciplinary team, you will provide a full range of social work services and contribute to the case management process for young persons at the Centre. From clinical assessments and crisis intervention to specialized treatment with complex cases, you will always be provided with new challenges. In addition, you will provide input into individual goal development, develop and deliver programs to support goal development, and conduct individual and group counseling and treatment sessions. You will also liaise with family and community organizations in support of the individualized case management plans.

**Qualifications:** Bachelor of Social Work with related experience and registration in good standing as a Social Worker with the Ontario College of Social Works and Social Service Workers; proven communication and interpersonal skills to provide individual and group counseling, evaluation, and assessment services, prepare assessments and evaluations, and work in a multidisciplinary team including outside agencies; demonstrated experience applying social work theories, principles, and practices including developing rehabilitative treatment plans; demonstrated knowledge and expertise in case management and clinical planning; knowledge of youth development processes, theories, and approaches; demonstrated understanding of relevant issues related to working with teens and young adults such as Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder (FASD), drug and alcohol dependencies, abuse, eating disorders, and mental health issues; proven presentation, facilitation, and group leadership skills; willingness to work shifts.

**Posting Date:** Friday, January 09, 2009

**Closing Date:** Friday, January 23, 2009

Applications must be received by the end of the closing date with the Job ID number quoted.

**Apply online**

**or send application to:** Northern Recruitment Centre, Ministry of Government Services  
159 Cedar Street, Suite 404  
Sudbury, Ontario, P3E 6A5  
Fax: (705) 564-9165

Only applicants selected for interview will be contacted.

OPS Employees are required to quote their WIN EMPLOYEE ID number when applying to positions.

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**Accommodation will be provided in accordance with the Ontario Human Rights Code.**

\*Indicates that the salary listed includes the maximum plus merit, in accordance with the OPSEU Collective Agreement.