

## Employment Opportunity School-Based Social Worker

Mosquito Grizzly Bear's Head Lean Man First Nation is in collaboration with Kanaweyimik Child & Family Services Inc. We are seeking a caring and experienced School-Based Social Worker for the 2025–2026 academic year. This newly developed position supports a shared vision of student safety, success, and wellness by embedding culturally responsive and trauma-informed practices directly into the daily life of Mosquito School.

The Social Worker will offer individualized and group-based supports for students, provide crisis response, collaborate with school and child welfare teams, and help develop a stronger bridge between educational and family services.

# **Roles & Responsibilities:**

Provide responsive services to support students with behavioral, emotional, social, and psychological needs.

Deliver interventions within a Response to Intervention (RTI) framework:

- Tier 1: Whole-school mental health promotion and capacity building.
- Tier 2: Targeted small group sessions and workshops.
- Tier 3: Intensive, individualized student support.

Respond to emergent needs including counselling, crisis intervention, and advocacy. Work with families, teachers, Elders, and Knowledge Keepers to align interventions with MGBHLMFN values and community priorities.

Make referrals to external agencies where appropriate and follow through with interagency case management.

Support the implementation of prevention programs (e.g., healthy relationships, self-regulation, coping strategies).

Promote equitable access to services and advocate for systemic change to benefit vulnerable students and families.

Ensure appropriate documentation and confidentiality of student files.

Collaborate with Kanaweyimik and MGBHLM Education team to monitor, evaluate, and report on service impacts.

## Qualifications/Experience

 Bachelor of Social Work (BSW); master's degree in social work or counselling preferred.

- Eligible for registration with the Saskatchewan Association of Social Workers (SASW) or similar regulatory body.
- Minimum 3–5 years' experience working in school, child welfare, or Indigenous community contexts.
- Demonstrated skill in trauma-informed care, de-escalation, crisis management, and counselling.
- Deep understanding of First Nations cultures, challenges, and community-led approaches.
- Strong interpersonal, communication, organizational, and collaboration skills.
- Familiarity with case note systems and clinical documentation.
- Valid driver's license and reliable transportation required.

## How to Apply

## Deadline: July 16, 2025

Submit your resume with a cover letter to:

#### Human Resources Manager

MGBHLM First Nation Box 177 Cando, SK S0K 0V0 Or by Fax to 306-937-3678 Email: <u>human.resources@mosquitofn.ca</u>

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