



# Cowessess First Nation #73

## Department of Health & Social Development Employment Opportunity

<b>POSITION:</b>	<b>Addictions Worker</b>	<b>DEADLINE</b>
<b>CLASSIFICATION:</b>	Permanent – Full-Time	<b>January 25, 2022</b>
<b>WAGE:</b>	Based on education and experience	

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### JOB SUMMARY:

The Addictions Worker is under the direct supervision of the Director of Health & Social Development. The Addictions Worker will be responsible for screening, assessments, referrals, and after care planning for clients with addiction related issues. The applicant will have the ability to facilitate education and awareness sessions related to addictions. The applicant would have extensive experience in one to one, group counselling and as well as case conferencing.

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### QUALIFICATIONS:

1. As it relates to Addictions Certification, must have a certificate either through the Canadian Council of Professional Certification, Canadian Addiction Counsellors Certification Federation, the First Nations Wellness/Addictions Counsellor Certification Board or by an equivalent certification program in the area of addictions counselling.
2. Minimum of four (4) years experience in counselling and/or working with addictions.
3. Must possess leadership qualities and live an addiction free lifestyle in order to promote and encourage positive living;
4. Must possess a positive attitude, incentive to improve and be highly motivated;
5. Must be knowledgeable in the day-to-day issues as it relates to addictions;
6. Have facilitation and counselling skills;
7. Live a healthy lifestyle and be in good standing within the community.
8. Must possess a valid driver's license and reliable vehicle;
9. Must have excellent written and oral communication skills;
10. Knowledge of budgeting, reporting, and evaluation requirements;
11. Ability to work in a team environment for the Cowessess First Nation;
12. Must have sound knowledge of culture, traditions and language, a definite asset;
13. Must be well organized, punctual, dependable, reliable and ensure that confidential matters remain confidential;
14. Must work well under minimum supervision and willing to work flexible hours when needed;
15. Must possess the ability to take direction and work with minimum supervision.
16. Must be well organized, punctual, reliable and ensure that confidential matters remain confidential.
17. Willing to take training as required.
18. Willing to submit a Criminal Record Check (vulnerable sector) and a drug screen.
19. Willing to submit Proof of COVID-19 vaccinations.

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### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

**Complete applications should consist of the following:**

1. Cover Letter
2. Resume with three (3) references
3. Criminal Record Check (vulnerable sector)

**Please submit applications to:**

**Cowessess First Nation  
Human Resources**  
P.O. Box 100  
Cowessess, Saskatchewan S0G 5L0  
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