

Camp fYrefly Northern Alberta is looking to recruit an experienced and skilled Mental Health Team Lead to join our 2021 Team. Camp fYrefly is a summer camp and leadership retreat designed for two-spirit, lesbian, gay, genderqueer, bisexual, trans, queer, questioning, non-binary, pansexual, asexual, and intersex youth (2SLGBTQ+) aged 14-24. To learn more, please visit <u>fyrefly.ualberta.ca</u>. The successful candidate will dedicate approximately 30 hours working collaboratively with the Camp Coordinator and the Camp fYrefly Team to ensure Mental Health Services are accessible to all Volunteers and Campers. The hours will be completed in the following phases:

Phase 1: Pre-camp Preparation (Approx. 10 Hours)

Phase 2: Training (Approx. 8 Hours)

Phase 3: Camp (Approx. 12 Hours)

## Role includes:

- Development and coordination of Camp Mental Health Plan and procedures. This includes:
  - Intake and assessments
  - Deescalation and crisis intervention
  - Documenting and reporting incidents; making external referrals
- Group facilitation
- Assist with selection and supervision of Mental Health Team
- Following and ensuring compliance with Community Guidelines

## **Qualifications:**

- At least three years experience working in a mental health setting (e.g., social work, psychology, counselling, support or crisis response work, etc.)
- Experience working with 2SLGBTQ+ youth and adults
- Experience using trauma informed practices and techniques
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- Experience working with individuals living with mental health concerns
- Demonstrated ability to provide culturally appropriate care
- Demonstrated ability to implement anti-oppression practices / care / values

**Honouraria:** As a thank you, and in consideration of time you may have to take from work, a \$1500 honouraria is available (approximately \$50 / hour; payable end of month after Camp).

**Application:** To apply, send the following to <u>fyrefly@ualberta.ca</u> no later than **11:59 PM MST**, **Thursday, February 25, 2021**:

- 1. Curriculum Vitae (maximum 2 pages)
- 2. Statement of Interest (maximum 500 words) explaining why you would like to volunteer
- 3. Names and contact information of two references

## Timeline:

- Applications Due 11:59 PM MST, Thursday, February 25, 2021
- Interviews (for those selected) March 1 5, 2021
- Decision by March 12, 2021

