### Employment Dates
August 2022 - April 30, 2023

*Note: Fall employment start dates may be adjusted by a few days to allow for online training components provided to complete on your own before beginning on-campus training.*

### Pay Rate
$15.00/hour, plus 1.5% Vacation Pay: 4% of base pay (in lieu of vacation) Statutory Holiday Pay: 5% (in lieu of statutory holidays)

### Hours
Approximately 10 hours/month*
*Will include evening and weekend work
*Includes a combination of scheduled and flexible/self-scheduled hours

### Type
Casual Level 1 Student Staff

### Department and Division
Campus Services
Residence Services - Residence Life

### How to Apply
Note: Wellness Ambassadors must hold another Residence Life student staff position for the term of employment (August 2022 - May 2023). If you are interested in applying to be a Wellness Ambassador, you will be asked to express your interest in the role when applying for other student staff positions (RA, SRA, Cohort Leader, etc.). Wellness Ambassadors will be selected from the pool of applicants who express interest in the role, and who are selected to be student staff in the 2022-23 academic year.

Complete application for the other student staff position in which you’re interested through BearsDen [here](#)

Link also available on our website once applications open

Applications open Tuesday, January 5, 2022

**Applications close Sunday, January 23, 2022 at 11:55pm**

### Position Summary
Residence Wellness Ambassadors (WA's) are part-time staff who work to enhance the overall wellness of the residence community at the University of Alberta. Reporting to the Residence Wellness Intern, they work closely with the Community Support Team members to plan and implement wellness related programming, social media content, and responses within UAlberta residences.
Responsibilities

- Represent Residence Services and the Community Support Team in peer to peer interactions within residence
- Represent your assigned communities to Residence Services and the University (may include connecting with students, identifying trends in our communities, and gathering feedback)
- Participate in peer health education initiatives in residence including, but not limited to: events, programs, social media campaigns, and education initiatives
- Plan and develop social media content related to wellness for the official Instagram, Twitter, and Facebook pages in collaboration with the Wellness Intern and Storyteller Team
- Organize, plan and implement wellness centered programming and events (including a variety of the traditional Programming Weeks) throughout our residences. This may be in collaboration with Campus and Community Recreation professionals, or other Residence Services professional staff, university campus partners or Edmonton community partners
- Maintain open communication with and attend biweekly meetings with the Wellness Intern
- Other duties as assigned

Skills and Qualifications

- **Must** hold another Residence Life student staff position for the term of employment (August 2022 - May 2023).
- Must be enrolled as a full-time student at the University of Alberta with a minimum GPA of 2.3
- Must live on-campus in community assigned for duration of employment
- Communicate effectively to groups and individuals (verbally and in writing)
- Ability to self-manage, prioritize independently, care for one's own health and wellness, and employ resilience in challenging situations
- Must have a good understanding of the different dimensions of wellness, and how different circumstances can impact someone's wellness, or a demonstrated willingness to learn
- Must have an interest in and drive to enhance student wellness within residences, or a demonstrated willingness to learn
- Must have detailed knowledge of campus and community wellness resources, or a demonstrated willingness to learn
- Working knowledge of Google Drive, Google Calendar, & Google Forms is considered an asset, but not necessary
- Trainings, education or knowledge in sexual violence, suicide prevention, Mental Health First Aid, or other wellness related issues will be considered an asset, but are not necessary

Expectations

- Maintain another Residence Life student staff position for the term of employment (August 2022 - May 2023).
- Must live on-campus in assigned community assigned for duration of employment.
▸ Maintain full-time student status at the University of Alberta in Fall 2022 and Winter 2022 with a minimum 2.3 GPA.

▸ Not engage in any behaviour or activity while living in residence that damages the reputation of the residence community, Residence Services or the University of Alberta.

▸ Agree to behave according to the expectations listed above, the Community Standards, the Residence Agreement, the House Rules, and the Code of Student Behaviour. Failure to do so will result in the possible termination of the role.

▸ Must be available for dates of employment, including residence orientation, move-in/move-out events, and attending training sessions.

▸ Must abstain from student teaching or participating in co-op work terms that take place outside of Edmonton city limits and/or that reduce availability for responsibilities.

▸ Proof of full vaccination against COVID-19 in compliance with the University’s COVID-19 Vaccination Directive. Fully Vaccinated means a status an individual achieves 14 days after having received the recommended number of doses of a COVID-19 vaccine approved by Health Canada or the World Health Organization, and requires the individual to maintain the recommended number and type of vaccine doses as updated and required by Health Canada thereafter.

**Statement on COVID-19 pandemic**

The number of residence student staff required may be impacted by changes in the global pandemic, provincial public health guidance, and university decisions. These impacts are unpredictable and unfortunate. Student staff positions will be a function of the demand within our residence system. However, if demand goes down, we could see reductions from the initial offers that go out in March 2022. If there are any changes that occur as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic you will be notified as soon as possible by Residence Life staff.

*View All Residence Job Postings*

The University of Alberta is committed to an equitable, diverse, and inclusive workforce. We welcome applications from all qualified persons. We encourage women; First Nations, Métis and Inuit persons; members of visible minority groups; persons with disabilities; persons of any sexual orientation or gender identity and expression; and all those who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas and the University to apply.