

EXTERNAL JOB POSTING # 285

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Clinical Psychologist (Self-Employed) ABI Outreach Team One (1) Temporary Part-Time (7.5 hours per week)

Cota is an accredited, not-for-profit, community-based organization that has been supporting adults with mental health and cognitive challenges to live well within their communities for over 45 years. We provide person-centred support to help individuals find inspiration and hope in themselves, so they are better able to pursue meaningful change in their lives. We also work collaboratively with our funders, our partners and other stakeholders, across the provincial health and social service systems, to inspire positive change in the way services are delivered to individuals living with mental health and cognitive challenges.

Cota's core values of Hope, Respect, Dedication, Collaboration and Innovation are at centre of who we are and what we do.

Are you a Clinical Psychologist seeking a dynamic, rewarding and innovative environment? Do you want to be part of an organization that is inclusive and diverse? Would you like to ensures clients safety while supporting quality improvement of services in line with Cota's strategic direction of "Investing in our staff"? Are you excited about working in an organization that is all about the delivery of safe, recovery oriented, client & family centered comprehensive services? Would you like to be part of the 'Cota Family' as we continue inspiring, and providing excellent community-based support to our clients?

About the Position:

We require an experienced Psychologist to work as a team member in the ABI Outreach Team. The ABI Outreach Team is an interdisciplinary team of professionals that supports people with an Acquired Brain Injury, as well as their families, in their homes and other community settings as needed. The ABI Outreach Team is established within a partnership between Scarborough Centre for Healthy Communities (SCHC) and Cota. The team is composed of professionals from both organizations who work cohesively as one team to support the complex healthcare needs of this client population, their families and caregivers.

Key Areas of Responsibility – Self-Employed Psychologist:

- Supports the rehabilitation of adults with Acquired Brain Injuries by providing various services including psychological assessments, individual/group counselling, and education to clients/families as well as consultation to team members and/or community professionals as needed
- Supports the work of the inter-disciplinary team using methods and findings of psychology and psychological theories to increase the well-being of clients with Acquired Brian Injuries including individuals with co-morbid issues such as Anxiety, Depression and other Mental Health challenges as well as Addiction and Behavioural Problems
- Provides professional/clinical expertise to the team's Behaviour Therapist regarding the development and implementation of behaviour plans

Successful Candidate Requires:

- Ph.D. in Psychology from an APA/CPA accredited clinical psychology program
- Registered with the College of Psychologists of Ontario in good standing with authorized practice in clinical psychology with adults
- Previous experience in conducting cognitive-behavioural and behavioural approaches
- Proof of required professional liability insurance

Working Conditions:

• We are seeking to contract with an individual for 7.5 hours per week, generally during regular business hours

To Apply:

Please forward a cover letter and your current resume (in one file) on or before <u>March 8, 2021</u> <u>by 4:00pm</u> to Human Resources via e-mail <u>opportunities@cotainspires.ca</u> and reference **Job Posting #285.**

Additional Information

<u>COVID-19 announcement</u>: Health and safety is of paramount important to us here at Cota. On the basis of this and in light of the current pandemic, Cota has transitioned all recruitment and selection processes from in-person to virtual until further notice. Please note that as part of maintaining an agile workforce, all Cota staff may be required to be reasonably assigned/deployed to support the operational needs of our essential services.

<u>Accommodation:</u> Cota is an equal opportunity employer and strives to ensure that its recruitment and selection processes meets the needs of all persons with disabilities. As such, Cota will provide reasonable accommodation for any applicant, as requested during the recruitment process. For any recruitment related accommodation needs and/or requests please contact the HR Department via <u>humanresources@cotainspires.ca</u>

<u>Employment Equity:</u> Cota will not condone or tolerate any acts of discrimination or harassment under any of the grounds protected under human rights legislation. This commitment extends to the recruitment and selection process and throughout the course of employment.

We would like to thank all those that apply; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted. We request no emails, faxes, phone calls, or requests to meet please.

<u>Scent Free:</u> Cota encourages a scent-free environment. Onsite employees, students, volunteers, and visitors are asked to refrain from wearing fragrances and other scented personal care products (i.e. perfumes, deodorants, lotions, hairspray, etc.).