



## Counsellor Contract Positions in the Canadian Arctic

With Northern Counselling and Therapeutic Services (NCTS)

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### Join our team!

We are a team of Counsellors, Psychiatric Nurses, Psychologists, and Social Workers with decades of combined experience providing counselling services, psychological assessment, and research and policy development, in communities across northern Canada.

NCTS works with an associate team model, hiring independent professionals on contract to deliver essential mental health support services, with a client-centered and community-oriented approach. Our associate model relies on a core of dedicated counsellors who have extensive experience working with northern and Indigenous residents. This core team is augmented by professional consultants who provide extended services as needed.

NCTS develops mental health and wellness programs and services to meet the needs of individuals, groups, communities, businesses, government departments and private sector organizations. Our approach is culturally sensitive and supports the mental wellbeing of community members, employees and families across Northern Canada.

NCTS is currently expanding our team to meet our contract needs for itinerant counsellors (able to travel) in Nunavut, Northwest Territories, and Yukon communities. This work is agency style work, including both short (2 week) critical response services, as well as longer (6-8 week) re-occurring contracts in Arctic communities.

- **NCTS is interested in receiving CV's from master's level Counselling Psychology graduates who are either currently registered with CCPA or other regulatory body that allows clinicians to obtain private practice insurance.**
- **All successful applicants will receive full orientation, training, and support by NCTS Team.**
- **Contracts are paid a high hourly rate, daily per-diems, and full travel expenses. All hotels/air fares are covered.**

Please submit your resume and cover letter in one document to: [inquiries@northerncounselling.net](mailto:inquiries@northerncounselling.net)

Please be informed that we are not in a position to provide application updates. Only applicants shortlisted will be contacted and all applicants must be eligible to work in Canada.



## **Northern Counselling and Therapeutic Services (NCTS)**

NCTS is a community-based team of licensed Psychologists, Counsellors, Social Workers, and Psychiatric Nurses, bringing decades of experience providing evidence-based, culturally effective counselling services across the three northern territories.

### **Mental Health Services**

NCTS provides professional clinical counselling services for individuals, couples, families, and groups. Clinical services include, but are not limited to, 24hr emergency response, long-term clinical community placements, and supervision, training and mentoring services.

Specific issues addressed include:

- trauma: historical (including Residential School experiences) and recent traumatic experiences
- sexual and physical abuse
- addictions (alcohol, substance abuse, gambling)
- suicidal/self-harming behaviors
- grief and loss
- family violence
- depression
- anxiety/life and work stress
- couples, marital, divorce and separation
- work-related issues
- staff support (including individual counselling, training, and workshop/in-services) on such topics as self-care, vicarious traumatization and recovery, psychological first aid, etc).

NCTS also provides extensive school-based child and youth focused counselling and psychological services. These address a wide range of presenting problems and mental health disorders, including learning disorders, anger and oppositional behaviors, ADHD, FASD, anxiety, depression, addictions, self-harming behaviors, etc.

NCTS is committed to providing the most effective support services for northern communities.

We look forward to hearing from you.

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