POSITION: Skill Development Worker 0.5 EFT  12 month term

PROGRAM: Community Development

RESPONSIBLE TO: Community Development Coordinator

POSITION SUMMARY:
The Skill Development Worker will assist with the development and implementation of recreation and skill development programs in Gilbert Park. The worker will facilitate programs in the Gilbert Park Community. The Worker will ensure goals and objectives of NorWest Co-op Community Health are incorporated into all programming. The Skill Development Worker will incorporate various programming material as assigned. All candidates for this position would need to be made available Monday – Thursday from 2:00-7:00pm, Friday’s 1-6pm and Saturday’s 9:00-5:00pm in a staffing rotation.

QUALIFICATIONS

- High School Diploma, Bachelor’s degree in recreation or other related discipline preferred. Or related experience.
- Minimum 1 year experience working with youth
- Knowledge of youth activities and planning experience
- Strong communication and problem solving skills.
- Empathetic, non-judgemental approach.
- Ability to work well within an interdisciplinary team in a variety of settings
- Knowledge and experience with diverse cultures, vulnerable populations and healthy equity.
- Ability to work well with community
- Group facilitation skills
- Knowledge of youth program planning an asset
- Ability to work independently and demonstrated decision making abilities
- Awareness of, and sensitivity to, issues of cultural diversity and colonialism
- Ability to work flexible hours required
- Access to a vehicle and valid driver’s license required
- Child Abuse Registry and Criminal Records Check required

DUTIES
- Assist with development and facilitation of recreation and skill development programs in the Gilbert Park Community
- Lead physical activity programs
- Mentor and support youth during afterschool hours
- Lead recreation and other supportive programming.
- Use culturally appropriate resources
- Provide leadership development opportunities for youth
- Outreach and other duties related to Gilbert Park

**Salary & Benefits as per CUPE contract**

**Closing date: Friday Sept 18 2020**

**Submit applications in confidence to:**

Michelle Kirkbride  
Community Development Coordinator  
NorWest Co-op Community Health  
785 Keewatin Street, Winnipeg, MB  
Email: mkirkbride@norwestcoop.ca  
Fax: 204.938.5994  
www.norwestcoop.ca

We thank everyone who expressed interest but only those selected for an interview will be contacted