



## Guelph-Wellington Women in Crisis

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Marianne's Place  
24-hour Crisis Line  
Sexual Assault Centre  
Volunteer Program  
Anti- Human Trafficking  
Support Program

Rural Women's  
Support Program  
Transitional & Housing  
Support Program  
Public Education  
Family Court  
Support Program

### INTERNAL/EXTERNAL JOB POSTING

The Sexual Assault Centre requires a  
**SEXUAL ASSAULT COUNSELLOR**  
Permanent Full Time (40 hours per week)

Classification 111b  
C.U.P.E. – Local 4393

Guelph-Wellington Women in Crisis (G-W WIC) is a dynamic, community-based, not for profit, feminist organization providing services to women and their children who have experienced domestic or sexual violence and human trafficking in Guelph and Wellington County.

We are looking for a highly motivated **social worker** with the skills and abilities to join the Sexual Assault Centre staff team to provide **trauma counselling to women who have experienced sexual violence**. If you are self-directed with the ability to work effectively within a team environment, are compassionate, creative and resourceful, please consider this opportunity.

#### **Responsibilities include:**

- Providing individual **trauma** counselling, crisis intervention and crisis counselling services for survivors of sexual violence.
- Planning, developing and co-facilitating/debriefing open or closed support groups or workshops for women who have experienced sexual violence (past childhood or current assault).
- Maintaining exceptional clinical case notes and documentation within the agency database.
- Acting as an advocate and resource person for the agency and SAC on issues of sexual violence.
- Providing accompaniment as required.
- Providing options, referrals and connections to women and community resources as needed.

#### **Employment requirements:**

- **Masters of Social Work (preferred) with a counselling/trauma focus.**
- Minimum 3 years previous experience in **trauma therapy** for women who are victims of sexual violence and woman abuse.
- Specialized training in sexual violence counselling, including childhood sexual abuse issues and Human Trafficking.
- Specialized knowledge of **trauma therapy, mental health and substance abuse** issues.
- Advanced knowledge of how sexual exploitation, addiction, mental health and poverty impact survivors of sexual violence.
- Well versed in anti-racism/anti-oppressive practice and a strong understanding of the social determinants of health.
- Demonstrated facilitation and presentation skills.
- Administration/organizational skills with strong computer competency.
- Familiarity with current community resources.

This position is part of the Collective Agreement of CUPE Local 4393.

**Closing Date: Friday January 21, 2022 at 5:00 pm**

Please send your resume including cover letter in confidence to:

**Jennifer Davies – Manager**

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**[jennifer@gwwomenincrisis.org](mailto:jennifer@gwwomenincrisis.org)**

If you require an accommodation under the Ontario Human Rights Code in order to participate in the recruitment process, please contact Jennifer Davies at (519) 836-1110 ext. 235.

Guelph-Wellington Women in Crisis is committed to building a diverse organization that works from an anti-racism, anti-oppression framework and in keeping with this principle, we encourage Indigenous women, immigrant women, women of colour, women with disabilities, lesbians and trans\* people to apply.

*\*Trans people are people who identify as trans, non-binary, gender fluid and gender non-conforming.*

We thank all applicants for their interest; however, only applicants selected for an interview will be contacted. No telephone calls or other enquiries please.

**You don't have to be hit to be hurt. • You don't have to leave to get help. • You don't have to be in crisis to call.**