



Job Posting **Summer Day Camp Counsellor** **Temporary Contract**

The John McGivney Children's Centre provides paediatric therapy services in the Windsor-Essex County community, enriching and celebrating the lives of children and youth with disabilities to help abilities grow, by providing child-focused, family-centred care. As a HOOPP employer, JMCC values collaboration, honesty, innovation, leadership, diversity, equity and inclusion.

Summary of the Role:

- The Day Camp Counsellor is responsible for supporting children and youth with very limited movement, and complex needs as well as the implementation of daily program activities, in an environment that promotes independence and participation in the activities.
- Adhere to and support participant's needs such as: use of special equipment and/or communication aids, use of mobility equipment, personal care needs, and avoidance of allergens.
- Actively assist camp participants with transfers, ambulation, and necessary activities of daily living (i.e. feeding, toileting, personal hygiene).
- Responsible to participate in planning and development of activities; conduct and deliver programming with assigned small groups of camp participants; and assist and support camp participants in program activities.
- Provide a safe environment for each camp participant; and work with program volunteers and JMCC staff to deliver a quality program that identifies and provides for needs of each camp participant.
- Other responsibilities will include: completing daily activity plans in collaboration with other counsellors; and completing daily Communication Logs and communicating with parents and caregivers.

Qualifications:

- Candidates will have, or be in process of completing post-secondary education, (preference will be given to those candidates with a background in Nursing, OT, PT, Human Kinetics, PSW, DSW, Disability Studies, and OT/PT Assistant programs).
- Candidates should have previous work experience with children/adolescents who have physical or mobility limitations, medical complexities, and/or developmental needs.
- Effective communication skills; strong interpersonal and organizational skills; and the ability to work independently as well as in a team environment are essential.
- First Aid & CPR is required. Candidates must also meet any grant-related qualifications (i.e. is between the age of 15 – 30 years).
- Successful candidates will be required to participate in transfer and lift training and other training specific to camp participant's needs; and must be able to physically perform the requirements of the role.
- French Language Proficiency is an asset.

Additional Details:

- Approximately 6 Temporary Vacancies
(existing summer vacancies)
- 7 week temporary contract
- Hourly Rate of Pay - \$20.50
- Hours of Work –35 hours per week
- Internal & External Posting

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Note: Applicants must be available for employment Monday- Friday (5 days a week), for a total of 7 weeks (June 29 – August 14, 2026). Applicants will be required to work in Centre during daytime hours.

Qualified applicants can submit a resume and cover letter to the Human Resources Department (hr@jmccentre.ca), by 4:00 pm on **February 27, 2026**

JMCC is committed to equity and diversity in the delivery of services and our work environment. Members from equity-seeking groups including Women, Indigenous Persons, Members of Racialized Groups, Persons with Disabilities and Persons of Diverse Gender Identities, Gender Expressions and Sexual Orientations, and groups protected by the Ontario Human Rights Code are encouraged to apply and to self-identify in their resume and/or cover letter. JMCC is committed to a recruitment process and work environment that is inclusive and barrier free. Should interested candidates require accommodations at any time during the recruitment process, please advise us of the nature of the accommodation(s) as soon as possible.