



Legal Aid NL is proud to provide an innovative and collaborative legal aid system that responds to the needs of low income persons. Our services promote access to justice through the provision of quality legal assistance for criminal, family and some administrative law matters. Legal services are provided through a staff based delivery model via eleven full service offices, five project offices and duty counsel services province wide.

We are currently accepting applications to fill a **Social Worker (Maternity Leave Replacement)** opening in our **Happy Valley-Goose Bay Family Child Office**.

The successful applicant will assist families involved with the department of Children, Seniors and Social Development through reunification of the family, early intervention, representation, negotiation, mediation and maximizing alternative services. Challenges will also be met in the developing of new and innovative methods of responding to interventions and in legal matters before the courts.

The successful candidate will hold a Bachelors of Social Work Degree from a recognized program and be a registered Social Worker. Experience working in areas of Child Protection cases and/or issues would be an asset. Candidates must have strong verbal and written communication skills, excellent organizational and interpersonal skills, and the ability to handle difficult situations and problem solve as needed. Exceptional accuracy and attention to detail is a must, along with a strong work ethic and the ability to take initiative. Additionally, candidates must possess a positive attitude, and high standards of ethics, professionalism and confidentiality and a demonstrated ability to thrive in a fast paced and challenging legal environment.

The successful candidates will be required to provide a Certificate of Conduct with Vulnerable Sector Check prior to commencing employment.

Employees of Legal Aid NL are covered under the Provincial Government Pension Plan and Health Plan. An optional Dental Plan and Disability Plan are also available. The salary for this position ranges from \$66,375.40 - \$74,274.00. Labrador positions also receive an annual Northern Allowance and an annual Northern Travel Allowance.

Interested applicants should send resumes to [humanresources@legalaid.nl.ca](mailto:humanresources@legalaid.nl.ca) no later than 4:00pm on Friday April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

We thank all applicants for their interest, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted. Applicants should note that once the vacancy is filled, a list of qualified candidates will be established and maybe used to fill any further vacancies in other Legal Aid NL offices within a 6 month period.