

Adult Housing Reintegration Program Caseworker

Full-time, full-benefit position

The Agency

The Calgary John Howard Society (CJHS) is a charity that reduces crime and makes Calgary communities safer by helping youth and adults make positive changes and move away from criminal behaviour. We do this by addressing the root causes of crime through housing, education, employment programs and support so that individuals have alternatives to breaking the law. CJHS is committed to restorative justice and an organizational environment that recognizes the dignity and worth of each person. CJHS values diversity and inclusion and welcomes qualified applicants from all walks of life.

The Program

The Adult Housing Reintegration Program (AHRP) provides housing and intensive supports to individuals above the age of 18 who: are experiencing chronic homelessness; have repeat involvement with the justice system; and are frequent users of emergency, health, correctional and shelter services. Upon entry to the program and/or release from jail, we work to house the individual as quickly as possible and continue with case management support working towards successful reintegration into the community. The AHRP team consists of four Caseworkers, an Occupational Therapist, Housing Liaison and Program Manager.

The Position

The AHRP Caseworker will work in an integrated and collaborative way with the AHRP Team, wider CJHS Team and the community to ensure clients on their caseload obtain housing, remain housed, get connected to appropriate services and successfully reintegrate into the community. This includes supporting the client to connect with community services including: employment and education; supporting their attendance at relevant appointments; and assisting with activities of daily living, recreation and leisure opportunities.

Reporting to the Community Reintegration Program Manager, this individual will: practice client-centered case management; build supportive community relationships; complete casework documentation; do data collection; and report outcomes. This is a mobile, community-based position and requires a valid license and vehicle.

The successful AHRP Caseworker will have a post-secondary education in a relevant discipline (i.e. human services, social work, etc.) and will have experience working with the target population, preferably with two years of experience in Housing First Case Management. Knowledge and experience of corrections is an asset.

Brain Story Certification considered an asset.

Applications will be accepted until November 27, 2020

**Please submit your cover letter and resume to:
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The Calgary John Howard Society thanks all applicants; however, only those considered for an interview will be contacted.