



### **Tasks and responsibilities:**

- Assist Elders and Seniors Program Supervisors at Community Centres to increase the participation of Aboriginal Elders and Immigrant Seniors and to reach shut-ins who are currently not represented in local activities that promote their vitality, well-being and health.
- Support community members to engage and participate in Seniors health, recreation and social programs and as members of Community Boards and Advisory Committees.
- Plan and lead activities for Elders that promote Inclusion and Reconciliation, sharing Indigenous culture and history and engaging in activities/ dialogue that promote cross-cultural and intergenerational understanding among participating multi-cultural Elders/Seniors and Youth.
- Other duties as requested.

### **Qualifications:**

- Some experience working/volunteering in a community setting and an understanding of how to be culturally competent in approach
- Knowledge of Aboriginal cultures and Immigrant and Aboriginal issues, as well as some understanding of barriers and challenges experienced by Elders, Seniors, and Older Adults particularly in the Inner City context
- Must be between 15 and 30 years of age (inclusive) at the start of employment
- Were registered as a full-time student during the preceding academic year
- Intend to return to school on a full-time time basis during the next academic year
- Are a student in a secondary, post-secondary, vocational or technical program
- Are a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or person on whom refugee protection has been conferred under the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act and
- Are legally entitled to work according to the relevant provincial/territorial legislation and regulation

**The Elders and Cultural and Activity Worker will work for a total 30 hours a week for 8 weeks @ the rate of \$14/ hour starting the week of July 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2017. To apply to this posting please send your resume and cover letter to Scott Clark at [info@alivesociety.ca](mailto:info@alivesociety.ca) or drop off in person at the Ray-Cam Community Centre front desk by June 18, 2017. For more information on Aboriginal Life in Vancouver Enhancement Society visit:[alivesociety.ca](http://alivesociety.ca)**