

Youth Unlimited MY House Youth Outreach Worker, Mission, BC:

Job Description

What is Youth Unlimited?

Youth Unlimited (YU) in Greater Vancouver is a faith-based, grass-roots, pioneering organization, catalyzed by innovative outreach workers passionate about reaching kids on the margins. YU addresses the holistic health of young people: physical, emotional, mental, social, and spiritual.

Why do we exist?

We exist to enhance the development, health, and safety of young people from communities across the Lower Mainland—especially, young people who lack caring adults in their lives. We do this by building a strong, professional, working relationship with schools, youth agencies, churches, social workers, community workers, and students.

What does the MY House Youth Outreach Worker do?

The MY House Youth Outreach Worker has a strong motivation in life to care for the most vulnerable youth in our community. Work activities will be focused on providing holistic care for youth connected to Mission Youth House (MY House) as well as assisting and collaborating with the Area Director in organizing, leading, facilitating, and networking in relation to MY House community collaborations.

What must the candidate possess to thrive in the position?

- Professionalism in verbal and written communication
- Consistency and boldness in engaging a wide network of financial and community partners
- Leadership skills, especially in leading small groups of volunteers or youth
- Comfort and confidence in relating to a wide range of youth (ideally, from past experience)
- Passion for discipleship and evangelism
- Ability to work in harmony with Youth Unlimited's existing staff team
- Ability to work in team and independently, while being a highly efficient time manager
- Ability to plan and coordinate meetings, small groups, and events

What are the working conditions?

- Telephone and computer work at home, coffee shop or MY House
- Meeting youth and adults in MY House, coffee shops, and other public places
- Use of own vehicle or public transit to travel to required locations
- Collaborating with other Mission staff, Greater Vancouver staff, and volunteers
- Developing and maintaining partnerships with individuals, schools, and community orgs

- Occasional evening work, weekend work, day trips, and extended trips
- Salary, expenses, and benefits (if applicable) are all raised by the applicant, with YU support

Time commitment: Part time, 24 hours per week (may develop into 40-hour position) Training: 2-year credentialing training, plus organization-wide and hands-on training ongoing

Supervision and feedback: Regular meetings with supervisor (direct report) and team members

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