



Occupational Therapist - Pediatrics

Locations: Abbotsford or Surrey, British Columbia

Monarch House is a child development centre providing seamless services to families impacted with Autism Spectrum Disorder and related developmental delays.

If you are passionate about helping children and youth communicate to the best of their ability and enhancing their relationships while maximizing their quality of life, this is your chance to work with an interdisciplinary team to reach your goals.

As an **Occupational Therapist (OT)** on our team you are responsible for developing programs that enable individuals to participate, to their fullest level, in activities that occupy their daily lives. Your client-base will consist of children with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD), as well as individuals of all other ages and needs.

Take an inside look at what you will do each day:

- Assess client needs and family priorities as part of an interdisciplinary team
- Complete assessments using tools such as standardized tests, criterion or curriculum referenced materials, or checklists
- Develop and implement a treatment plan for each client, based on assessment results
- Develop reports as required
- Consult to Behaviour Analysts who supervise Applied Behaviour Analysis Programs for Children with ASD and other needs
- Work collaboratively with the family and other community professionals
- Maintain knowledge in current evidence-based practices
- Collect data and make evidenced-based decisions in treatment
- Supervise students pursuing education in Occupational Therapy
- Represent OT department in Monarch House by contributing to clinical policies and procedures and other centre-wide visions

Here is what you will need to be successful:

- Master's Degree in Occupational Therapist (OT)
- At least 1 years' experience working with children with ASD
- Member in good standing with the College of Occupational Therapists in residing province
- Experience and familiarity with assessment tools (standardized tests, etc.)
- Knowledge of current research and literature in the Occupational Therapist (OT) field
- Strong interpersonal and communication skills
- Must maintain professional liability insurance with a limit of liability of not less than two million dollars (\$2,000,000) per occurrence.

What Monarch House can offer to you!

We are proud of our friendly environment, supportive leadership and the knowledgeable team members who make it all possible. That is why we do everything we can to show our appreciation. Our training, mentoring and education programs will provide you with opportunities for continued learning – and support and guidance whenever you need it.



- **Competitive Compensation!** Competitive salaries with an extended health benefits package fully covered by Monarch House for salaried employees and part-time or contract employees with 25+ hours/week.
- **Work-life balance!** At Monarch House, you will have flexibility to manage your schedule to maintain work-life balance. You will be supported with mental and physical health resources through our employee assistance program (EAP) Inkblot, extended benefits through CanadaLife, and a management team that truly cares for your well-being so that you can be your best self for the families we serve.
- **Develop your skills and grow your career!** With professional learning opportunities and a wide range of experience on the team **you will find mentorship when you need it!** You'll have autonomy to explore and reach your career goals! Career advancement is highly encouraged!
- **Sign on bonuses! (For Full-Time positions)**

We're committed to making a difference in people's lives – and that starts with yours. You'll enjoy a flexible schedule that allows you to achieve your goals at work and at home, with a balance of teamwork and independence. We have a team of Supervisors and motivated colleagues who are excited to meet and support you!

How to Apply

Please provide your resume and cover letter to jeffery.weir@monarchhouse.ca stating Occupational Therapist- BC in the subject line.

We thank all interested applicants, however, only those under consideration will be contacted.