

# ***NORTHWEST COMMUNITY LEGAL CLINIC***

is seeking a

## **FULL TIME STAFF LAWYER**

The **Kenora** office of the **NORTHWEST COMMUNITY LEGAL CLINIC**, a community legal clinic funded by Legal Aid Ontario, is seeking a staff lawyer to assume the position of caseworker. Practice will be in all areas of clinic law with emphasis in Ontario Works, Ontario Disability Support Program, Income Security law, Tenant Protection, and Consumer law. The position involves the provision of Summary Advice, Brief Services and representation to individuals and group clients on clinic law issues. The Staff lawyer is also expected to participate in inter-clinic working groups and to participate in law reform issues, and community legal education.

The Northwest Community Legal Clinic has three offices in Kenora, Fort Frances and Atikokan. **AREAS OF SERVICE** for this position include the City of Kenora and surrounding municipalities and First Nation communities extending to Minaki, Red Lake and Sioux Narrows.

### **POSITION REQUIREMENT:**

- Member in good standing with the Law Society of Upper Canada
- Familiarity with clinic law issues
- Understanding of social justice issues
- Excellent research, writing and advocacy skills
- Proficiency with MSWord and Outlook, and familiarity with Quicklaw
- Ability to travel, including valid Ontario Driver's licence
- Acceptable Criminal Reference check

**SALARY** is dependent upon experience and funding. The position includes a comprehensive, co-funded benefits package and RRSP benefit.

**EXPECTED START DATE** is January 2019.

Apply in confidence by November 16, 2018 to

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NWCLC is an equal opportunity employer. We thank all applicants in advance and will contact only those candidates selected for consideration.