

Private Caregiver (Comox Valley)

Employment type: part-time

Compensation: \$17-20 hourly, shift rates may vary

We are looking for a part-time caregiver for a young woman who requires assistance with all activities of daily living. The work is in her home with outings in the community.

Responsibilities include driving her to and from her day program, tending to her personal care including dressing, bathing, toileting, housekeeping, preparing meals, doing laundry, and other household tasks as required. She needs help with physical activity, and she depends on others to keep her safe and comfortable. She currently has a wonderful team, but she needs one more team player – someone who will provide the same level of care that she is used to in a respectful and compassionate manner.

Shifts vary, ranging from 4 - 8 hours to a full 24-hours.

Required:

- Care Aid certification or similar Health Care or Community Support training and/or experience working with people with developmental disabilities or autism
- Criminal Records check
- Current First Aid with CPR
- Food Safe Certificate
- TB and Hepatitis Clearance
- Minimum Class 5 Driver's Licence with a clean Driver's Abstract

Applicant must be a physically fit non-smoker in good health.

Must have a safe, reliable vehicle and be able to transport client around the community

Must be fluent in English, both spoken and written

Able to communicate clearly and fill out written reports

The qualities we look for:

Honesty, kindness and compassion, a keen sense of humor, a heart for the disabled, patience and understanding, and the ability to work well as part of a team. We prefer a certified Care Aide, Health Care worker or a nursing student but those with similar training and/or experience will also be considered.

Please reply to Home Care Posting at athomecare@shaw.ca with your resume and a cover letter stating what your availability is and the number of hours you are looking for. Only those who are short-listed will be contacted.