

**Great Careers
& Healthy Lifestyles**

Located between lakes Erie and Ontario, the Niagara region consists of some of Canada's most fertile agricultural land, the majestic Niagara Falls and a dozen communities that are rich in both history and recreational opportunities.

With over 3,000 employees, Niagara Region is responsible for such diverse areas as land use planning, transportation, water and wastewater treatment, waste collection and management, emergency medical services, public health, children's services, and seniors' programs to name a few. Niagara Region offers great career opportunities in municipal service and our competitive salaries, attractive benefits and wealth of programs will support your personal wellness and professional growth.

We value Choice, Honesty, Respect, Partnerships, and Service. If you share the same passion, we want to hear from you.

Niagara Region has a Permanent Full-time position available as Director Social Assistance & Employment Opportunities

Niagara Region is committed to building communities where every individual is supported to maximize their potential, achieve their goals and enhance their quality of life and social well-being. With a commitment to excellence and innovation, we respond to the fundamental needs of Niagara's most vulnerable citizens through a spectrum of integrated programs and partnerships:

Reporting to the Commissioner of Community Services, the Director Social Assistance & Employment Opportunities is responsible for the direction and management of Ontario Works Income Support and Employment Programs throughout the Niagara Region.

The successful candidate has:

- Demonstrated experience in senior level leadership and the ability to challenge status quo approaches and develop innovative solutions with the best interests of clients in mind.
- Demonstrated experience in the leadership and the development and implementation of Social Assistance and Employment Opportunities programs and services.
- Minimum of 8 years of experience and competence in progressively responsible and diverse senior management positions.
- In-depth knowledge of the practices and principles of effective administration and service delivery in Social Assistance and Employment Support or related Human Services.
- Post-secondary degree in Social Sciences, Business/Public Administration or related discipline.

To view the full job description and requirements, visit our Careers page.

Job Opening# 16767

Uncover the wonder of the Niagara Region and join a team dedicated to meeting tomorrow's challenges.....today!

Let us know why you would be an excellent team member by submitting your online application no later than July 10, 2016 before midnight by visiting our 'Careers' page at www.niagararegion.ca

We thank all candidates for their interest however, only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.

Building Community. Building Lives.