



**Family Centre Society of Southern Alberta  
Graduate Level Practicum Student, Family Counsellor  
September 2019 - April 2020 (8 months)**

The Family Support department of Family Centre invites applications for Graduate-Level Practicum Students in the role of Family Counsellor.

Family Centre is a community-based, not-for-profit organization that provides families in Lethbridge and Southwestern Alberta with caring and respectful family support. This is done through a comprehensive range of prevention and early intervention services for children, youth, adults, parents and other family members. Family Centre is recognized as a Government of Alberta Parent Link Centre. Its services include information and referrals, early childhood education, parent education, family support programs and counselling.

The Family Counsellor is responsible for providing counselling to individuals and youth. This position also offers the opportunity to participate in Family Centre's group programs in the areas of youth, parenting, and family support. The successful applicant will bring knowledge and experience in the areas of family dynamics, parenting, separation/divorce, and family and relationship conflict. Preference will be given to candidates who are able to complete 28 to 35 hours per week at Family Centre, along with two evening shifts (1:00pm - 9:00pm) per week.

The ideal applicant will be a student in good standing at a recognized university, requesting a practicum placement for completion of a graduate level program (Master of Education, Counselling Psychology, Master of Social Work, Master of Counselling, or equivalent). As a condition of placement, Practicum Students must present the following two documents at the time of the interview:

- A clean Police Record Check including the vulnerable sector (within 6 months)
- A clean Alberta Children's Services Intervention Record Check (within 6 months)

Two additional documents must be presented before starting the Practicum in September:

- A current First Aid Certificate.
- A current Suicide Intervention Training Certificate.

To apply, please forward cover letter and resume in electronic format via email to:

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Family Centre

***Applications will be accepted until Monday, February 11, 2018***

Please visit [www.famcentre.ca](http://www.famcentre.ca) for more information about Family Centre

*We thank all applicants, but only those selected for interviews will be contacted.*