Contract Counsellors (Part-time) Wellington

Skylight Trust (<u>www.skylight.org.nz</u>)

We are looking for team players with strong communication skills and a commitment to working with children, young people and their whānau

- Are you an experienced counsellor with a warm, calm, and friendly 'can do' attitude, with experience in mental health and/or social services?
- Are you experienced in providing positive, consistent high-quality counselling to children and young people?
- Can you be flexible to work across multiple sites and schools in Wellington, as well as offer online counselling?

This is an excellent opportunity for parents returning from parental leave, or anyone looking to start with a few hours per week, to gradually increase their caseload.

Who are we? - Skylight is a national not-for-profit trust that supports children, young people, and whānau when navigating through tough times. Skylight's services and programmes are traumainformed and have a focus on wellbeing and building resilience.

What do you need to have?

- Relevant qualification and registration with a professional body
- 3 years counselling experience if you have applicable life experiences, let's discuss
- Understanding of the issues of grief, loss and trauma, on children, teens, and whānau
- Good communication skills in English, both spoken and written
- Demonstrated organisational and administration skills
- Highly competent computer and keyboard skills
- Ability to manage sensitive and confidential information
- A culturally responsive practice: appreciation of Māori, Pacific Peoples, and other cultures.

Does this sound like you? please send a cover letter and CV or a request for further information via email, to Lesley Brown <u>operations@skylight.org.nz</u>