



The Centre for Child Development

JOB POSTING – INTERNAL POSTING ONLY AT THIS TIME

Posting #:	CYS-26-04	Union:	HSA Health Science Professionals
Job Title:	Early Years Navigator	Job Rate:	Schedule I, P1 (\$44.85 - \$56.02/hr. Apr 2026 rates)
Department:	Early Years	Hours of Work:	37.5 hrs/week
Location:	Surrey	Reports to:	Early Years Coordinator
Status:	Temporary, until October 30, 2026	Start Date:	June 4, 2026

Job Summary:

The Centre for Child Development is seeking a collaborative, service-oriented and innovative Early Years Navigator who will be responsible for providing family navigation, within a family-centered care model. This is a temporary position, working 37.5 hours per week, which will terminate on October 30, 2026

Responsibilities:

- Provides families with the appropriate tools, resources, support, and guidance to carry out complex tasks and, when necessary, within a partnership, assumes those tasks the family cannot handle with a continuing view to strengthening the family's capacity to do so wherever possible.
- Ensures access to, coordination of and delivery of services from different agencies. Pulling together all of the elements of each child's life.
- Provides emotional support and encouragement, counseling parents and child, linking families with other families for support/self-help groups, and by supporting the families' skills & abilities to coordinate & provide the child's care.
- Sets up groups including choosing topics based on the needs of the children and families: creating and/or modifying curricula and resources, advertising and facilitating group.
- Communicates with community programs, educational and health agencies including government ministries, physicians, school, preschools and childcare centres;
- Engages in outreach activities to encourage and support multicultural family participation

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree in social work or a related field
- One year related experience working with children, preferably children with developmental disabilities.
- Valid B.C. Driver's licence and access to a personal vehicle for work purposes
- Criminal record review and driver's abstract acceptable to The Centre

Posting Date: May 25, 2026

Closing Date: When Filled

How to Apply: To apply, please email resume and cover letter to [hiring@the-centre.org](mailto: hiring@the-centre.org)

Who we are and what we offer:

Since 1953, the Centre for Child Development of the Lower Mainland has been dedicated to addressing societal barriers for individuals with disabilities and supporting vulnerable children and families throughout the South Fraser Region. We are committed to a family-centered, child-focused approach and maintain strong partnerships within the community. By joining our team, you will be part of a collaborative and supportive work environment.

Our regular employees benefit from a comprehensive benefits package, including health and dental coverage, life insurance, paid vacation and sick leave, as well as participation in the municipal pension plan. Additionally, we are a unionized facility under the same contract as hospital therapists (HSA), and student loan forgiveness options may be available. Join us in our mission, and together, let's make a profound difference in the lives of those who need it most.

THE CENTRE FOR CHILD DEVELOPMENT IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER.

We are looking forward to reviewing your application, however, due to the volume of submissions we receive, we are unfortunately unable to respond to everyone. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted. To comply with Canadian Law, all candidates being offered a position with The Centre must be legally entitled to work in Canada.

Cc: Surrey/ Langley sites, CFRO, HSA Chief Steward