



## **Volunteer Remote Peer Support Caller**

**Want to be part of an energetic, passionate, and progressive organization? Eager to do what you love while making a difference in your community? Spinal Cord Injury BC is looking for you!**

### **Here's what we're all about...**

Spinal Cord Injury BC (SCI BC) is the go-to resource for the spinal cord injury (SCI) community. But we're so much more than your typical disability organization. We're a national leader in Peer Support, we excel in helping people form social connections and challenge themselves, and we take pride in developing our information resources. We're innovative – we like to push the envelope and try new things. And we tell powerful stories through our magazine, videos, and donor communications about how our members adapt, adjust and thrive after an injury.

All our staff and volunteers come from diverse backgrounds and areas of expertise, but we all share one thing: passion for people. We challenge, support and inspire one another. We're invested in each other's personal and professional development and foster a flexible, fun, and dedicated office culture.

We're growing our team of high-performing, innovative people with a passion for positive change. If that sounds like you, read on.

### **JOB Description**

We're looking for peer volunteers who have a spinal cord injury to assist SCI BC Peer Coordinator staff to support and connect peer members by making ReachOut calls. You'll receive online training in peer mentorship, ReachOut calling and SCI resources and support in BC.

#### **RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Share support, resources and information with peer members throughout BC
- Provide a listening ear to peer members.
- Help connect peer members to community supports and information.
- Get peer members involved in our busy summer events calendar and peer coffee groups.
- Complete a criminal record check prior to start date. Fees will be covered by SCI BC.

#### **TIME COMMITMENT:**

- 1-2 hour shifts one weekday/month

#### **LOCATION:**

- Remote

**EXPERIENCE:**

- Lived experience with spinal cord injury
- Unique life experiences and interests to share
- Non-judgmental listener, familiar with local supports and services for people with disabilities
- Can reliably attend a scheduled volunteer shift

**To Apply:** Please forward your cover letter and resume, including the date you are available for work, no later than August 31, 2024 – by email to [hr@sci-bc.ca](mailto:hr@sci-bc.ca) or by mail to Human Resources at 780 S.W. Marine Drive, Vancouver BC V6P 5Y7.

*Our sincere thanks to all those expressing interest in the position, however, only those applicants invited for an interview will be contacted.*

**Note:** Proof of vaccination against COVID-19, the flu, or other respiratory viruses may be required to work in certain settings. In addition, we reserve the right to require staff to vaccination as per federal and/or provincial health guidance or directives that may arise in the future.

Spinal Cord Injury Organization of BC (SCI BC) values diversity and strives to ensure equal opportunities to all qualified candidates, without regard to race, colour, religion, national origin, sex, age, disability, veteran status or any other legally protected basis. SCI BC complies with all applicable laws, rules and regulations in the performance of the Human Rights Code

SCI BC acknowledges that our provincial work takes place on the territories of Indigenous peoples who have lived on and cared for the land for time immemorial. SCI BC's head office, GF Strong resource centre, and shared Victoria office are located on the traditional and ancestral territory of the Coast Salish peoples – the x<sup>w</sup>məθkwəyəm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish) and Səlilwətaʔ/Selilwitulh (Tsleil-Waututh), and lək<sup>w</sup>əŋən (Lekwungen) First Nations. Our Prince George regional office is on the traditional and ancestral territory of the Lheidli T'enneh Nation

**We look forward to meeting you!**

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