

# Aboriginal Friendship Centre of Calgary

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## Peer Support Worker Rapid Access Addiction Medicine (RAAM) Permanent | Full Time

### Hiring organization

Aboriginal Friendship Centre of Calgary

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### Description

The RAAM clinic model intends to fill a void in the addiction treatment system by providing immediate access to evidence-based addiction care. Services are low-barrier, accessible and patient centred. The strength of this model is the walk-in nature that meets patient needs the same day. This 'window of opportunity' is often missed in the addiction treatment system with long waits for appointments and difficult intake procedures. RAAM services include assessment, treatment planning, case management, psycho-social interventions, and pharmacotherapy.

The Peer Support Worker works with clients with addiction as well as with mental, physical and social complexities. Reporting to the RAAM Team Lead and working collaboratively within our Primary Healthcare Team, this is a new role which will evolve based on identified needs of the program. This is a full-time permanent position.

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