

Job Posting: Research Assistant

Cervical Cancer Screening Services for Inuit Women of Nunavik

A McGill Research Team is seeking a **research assistant** to help conduct a participatory, community-based research study aiming to improve cervical cancer screening access and outcomes for Inuit women in Nunavik, Northern Quebec.

Responsibilities

In collaboration with the research team, the **research assistant** will participate in all areas of research, including theoretical and methodological dimensions. They will help to develop educational and promotional activities and tools, and implementation of a screening strategy (HPV self-sampling), collect and analyse qualitative and quantitative data, assist with mixed methods analysis, data management and data quality, and participate in preparing reports and manuscripts.

Requirements

This is an excellent opportunity for a candidate interested in field work in a Northern (Indigenous) environment and in women's health issues. Inuk researchers are encouraged to apply.

The ideal candidate will:

- Have an MSc or MA in a related discipline such as: anthropology, epidemiology, family medicine, nursing, social work, sociology, public health.
- Have experience working with participatory methodologies
- Have experience working with Indigenous communities
- Have a working knowledge of French
- Have research experience (e.g., some experience with qualitative analysis and statistical software).
- Have excellent organizational and interpersonal skills.
- Have the ability to work independently as well as collaboratively
- Have occasional flexibility in schedule – this position will require field work in the North

Salary: To be determined based on experience

Start date: Immediately

Review of applications will proceed on a rolling basis and will continue until this position is filled. Applications should include a cover letter describing interest, a CV, and the contact information for two references (one of whom must be an academic referee).

Questions or to submit a CV, contact:

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