

Y Young Moms Program Volunteer – Childminding Program Community Health (Downtown Victoria)

Position: Childminding Volunteer (3) **Placement:** Immediate **Hours:** Friday morning shifts or on-call shifts at other times for programming

Nature and Scope:

The Y Young Moms Program's Childminding Volunteer makes a difference in the lives of young moms by allowing them to participate in important educational opportunities, as well as in the lives of their children by providing the children with positive play interaction for a couple of hours a week.

Responsibilities:

- Have fun and enjoy hanging out with babies and playing with young children (up to age 5, primarily)
- Volunteer within a team to supervise small groups of children while ensuring the program specific rules and/or Y guidelines are followed
- Support child development through play and role modelling, and ensure children are safe and share in an enjoyable experience
- Role model a respectful and considerate attitude; provide a clean, comfortable and safe environment
- Remain alert to possible health and safety risks
- Ensure appropriate equipment is available and safe to use
- Be actively engaged in the feedback process

Qualifications:

- Current Standard First Aid and CPR C required
- Provide and maintain a clear Police/RCMP Criminal Record Check with Vulnerable Sector Screening required; FREE TO OBTAIN FOR VOLUNTEERING
- High School Graduation required
- 1 year of child care experience or an equivalent combination of training and experience beneficial

To Apply: Please send a cover letter and resume to:

Human Resources YMCA-YWCA of Vancouver Island Email: hr@vancouverislandy.ca

Please Note:

- **1.** Application Deadline: This posting will close when suitable candidates have been found.
- 2. We thank all applicants, but only short-listed candidates will be contacted.

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