



Job Posting: Youth Navigator – West Coast

Location: Ucluelet and Tofino, BC

Hours: 20 per week

Wage: 28.49-33.28

Application Deadline: May 23, 2025

In collaboration with the **Alberni Clayoquot Health Network**, **ADAPS Youth and Family Services** is seeking a passionate, community-minded youth-serving professional to serve as the **Youth Navigator** for the West Coast region.

This role is an exciting opportunity to work directly with youth (ages 12–24), providing support and service navigation that enhances their access to health and wellness services. As part of the broader implementation of Foundry Port Alberni, the Youth Navigator will help shape the potential for outreach and satellite services on the West Coast by gathering youth voice, identifying service access patterns, and fostering community engagement.

Program Priorities

- Youth engagement and service navigation
- Relationship building with youth, families, Indigenous communities, and service providers
- Support the development and implementation of Foundry Port Alberni services in the region

Key Responsibilities

- Coordinate youth engagement activities and support youth-led initiatives
 - Deliver information sessions on Foundry services, including virtual and rural service options
 - Organize and facilitate meetings with youth, project partners, and community agencies
 - Build strong working relationships with schools, Indigenous communities, and local service providers
 - Support youth gatherings, community events, and workshops that amplify youth voices
 - Collaborate with ADAPS Youth Services Manager, Foundry Port Alberni team, and Coastal Families Coalition to align strategy and service priorities
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What We're Looking For

- An adaptable and versatile individual able to respond to diverse and changing needs
 - Strong relationship-building skills, especially with youth who may be reluctant to engage
 - A team player with excellent communication skills and a positive, proactive attitude
 - Availability to work occasional evenings and weekends
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Qualifications

- Post-secondary education in Child and Youth Care, Human Services, or a related field, or an equivalent combination of experience and skills
- Experience in youth leadership, organizing, or advocacy strongly preferred
- Strong facilitation and communication skills, with the ability to empower young people
- Familiarity with the strengths and needs of West Coast communities and Indigenous youth is an asset
- Highly organized, self-motivated, and collaborative

Send your **resume and cover letter** to Stacy@adaps.org by **May 23, 2025**.