

STAFF LAWYER POSITION (Intake Specialist)

The HIV & AIDS Legal Clinic Ontario (HALCO) is a community legal clinic serving the legal needs of people with HIV in Ontario. HALCO staff provide legal advice and representation, and engage in public legal education, law reform and community development activities. The clinic is seeking a lawyer to fill the Intake Specialist position.

Responsibilities

The Intake Specialist will provide advice, referrals, brief services, and limited representation to people with HIV across Ontario, primarily in clinic law matters (e.g., income maintenance, rental housing, human rights, and other administrative law matters). The lawyer will, over time, also have the opportunity to participate in the clinic's public legal education, law reform and community development initiatives.

Required Qualifications

- Membership in good standing with the Law Society of Upper Canada
- Knowledge of poverty law (e.g., income maintenance, tenancy)
- Experience working with marginalized communities

Preferred Qualifications

- Knowledge of HIV and affected communities
- Fluency in French

Application Deadline: Thursday, June 9, 2016 (5:00 p.m. E.S.T.)

Interested candidates are asked to submit résumés and references by electronic mail to:

Hiring Committee
HIV & AIDS Legal Clinic Ontario
Email: secordam@lao.on.ca

While all applications are appreciated, only those applicants offered an interview will be contacted.

Candidates from equity-seeking groups, including people with HIV,
are encouraged to apply.