

Director, Communications and Marketing

Community Living Ontario is a family-based association that works with people who have an intellectual disability, their families and our local member associations, to lead the way in advancing inclusion in their own lives and in their community. We are a leader in the developmental services sector and represent more than 12,000 people and families across the province, as well as over 100 member organizations.

Community Living Ontario is currently seeking an outstanding communicator to open people's minds and hearts to what true inclusion and citizenship looks like and how it empowers people to lead rich lives and to participate actively in their community.

Reporting to the Chief Executive Officer, the Director of Communications and Marketing is an integral part of the senior management team and is the lead communications person, responsible for creating and maintaining the strategic direction for the organization's communications and to ensure it reflects Community Living Ontario's mission, vision, and priorities.

The Director is responsible for ensuring that issues as they pertain to Community Living Ontario and its membership are accurately understood by all relevant stakeholders across the province. The incumbent will also work directly with the organization's other departments, as well as the Community Living Ontario Foundation, to ensure that communications remain coordinated, integrated, and timely. This position is the lead for Community Living Ontario in media relations, public relations, and the planning and execution of internal and external communications.

The successful candidate will have a degree from a recognized university in Public Relations, Communications, Journalism, Marketing or a related field, plus five years' progressive experience in the field of public relations and/or strategic communications. Of those years, at least three years must include experience in a management/supervisory role. Ideally, the person will have a strong familiarity with the developmental services sector. Fluency in English and French is an asset.

Equivalencies that consist of an acceptable combination of education and experience may be considered.

People interested in this meaningful and rewarding role are encouraged to submit a cover letter and resume to HR@communitylivingontario.ca by Friday, April 5th, 2019. Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.