



Kinark Child and Family Services

Kinark Child and Family Services is dedicated to helping children and youth with complex needs and their families achieve better life outcomes. Our three main program streams include: Community-based Child and Youth Mental Health, Autism, and Forensic Mental Health/ Youth Justice services.

As a leading child and youth service organization in Ontario, Kinark's dedicated team of professionals delivers a range of services and supports in York, Durham and Halton Regions, Simcoe and the four Counties of Haliburton, City of Kawartha Lakes, Peterborough and Northumberland.

Kinark is a large organization with over 800 staff. Kinark's head office has a structure that includes staff support in the areas of Finance, Policy, Research and Planning, Human Resources, Administration and Information Technology. Our multi-disciplinary team of experts includes child and youth workers, social workers, psychologists, psychiatrists, nurses, family support workers and behaviour therapists.

Community-based Child and Youth Mental Health Services

Kinark's team of experts provides a full range of assessment and treatment services, including individual, family and group counselling provided by multi-disciplinary teams of clinicians.

Autism Services

Kinark provides a range of evidence-based, family-centred behaviour analytic services, including intensive intervention. Individualized treatment plans are developed for each child/youth admitted to the Ontario Autism Program (OAP) to meet their unique needs across all developmental stages. Treatment planning is done in close collaboration with parents/caregivers and other autism service providers. Kinark now serves as the single point of access (SPOA) to the new Ontario Autism Program for children and youth, aged 0-18 years, living in York and Durham Regions, Simcoe County, and the four Counties of Haliburton, Kawartha Lakes, Peterborough and Northumberland.

Forensic Mental Health and Youth Justice Services

Located in Oakville, Syl Apps Youth Centre is a designated provincial resource for youth with complex mental health issues. We also deliver community-based programs for youth in conflict with the law and other intensive programs that treat children and youth at home and in the community.

Kinark Outdoor Centre (KOC)

Kinark also operates the KOC, a residential outdoor education and therapeutic respite facility in Minden, Ontario.

Kinark.on.ca | info@kinark.on.ca



Kinark Child and Family Services values inclusivity and diversity in the workplace. We encourage applicants from diverse backgrounds. We are committed to providing accessible employment practices that are in compliance with the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act ('AODA').

If you share our passion for helping children and youth with complex needs and their families to achieve better life outcomes, please view our available positions.

Join the Kinark Team!