

## Seeking 2 Paid Roommates to Live with a Young Man in North Vancouver

Looking for two roommates to live with a 21-year-old man. These roommates will support him with this transition and help him establish the next phase of his life in his new place, living full time at the house and sharing the tasks of supporting him. Currently, we envision roommates having 3 days on, 3 days off schedule, where the roommate who is on is actively supporting this young man, and the roommate that is off maintains a more passive support role. When a roommate is on, they are expected to be present from evenings to mornings and support him as needed.

The person requiring support is an intelligent fun young man who is looking for more independence. He needs time to get to know new people and become comfortable with them, at his own pace and on his own terms. He is interested in working on cars and machinery, trains, construction machines, trucks, music, animated movies, and enjoys going out for meals. He has a good sense of humour and likes being out and around people.

The roommates we are looking for are committed to building relationships and can help another person to make their own decisions, and act as a peer, guide, and mentor to that person. They are collaborative and communicative, and able to promote learning and growth in others. They are fun, physically fit, friendly, and patient, and like being around other people. They can see people for who they are, not what they want them to be. Candidates should also be flexible and willing to work with minor changes, as this is the first time this young man will be living outside of the family home and some changes to the model of support may be necessary in consideration of this. Having a driver's license and vehicle for work is an asset.

Within the house, there is another man who lives in the basement suite. He will require occasional check-ins and support from the roommates, and to contact them if any emergencies arise.

The compensation for each supporting roommate is a \$1500 dollar a month salary (for each roommate), free rent and utilities (tv and Wi-Fi included), and \$100 per month grocery allowance (for each roommate).

Please apply by sending a resume/cover letter, and feel free to reach out if you'd like more information on the position to [cclippingdale@spectrumsociety.org](mailto:cclippingdale@spectrumsociety.org) and [eilidh.nicholson@spectrumsociety.org](mailto:eilidh.nicholson@spectrumsociety.org)