

Care provider/rehab assistant for stroke patient

We are the family of a female 75-year-old stroke patient (moderate ischemic stroke of the right frontal lobe) who requires supervision and help re-learning day-to-day activities, and we are looking for someone who has taken coursework and/or done work in stroke recovery. The stroke happened on April 13th, 2020 and while her speech and motor function have not been significantly impacted, her executive function, attention and working memory have been compromised and as such she needs assistance in the day-to-day with things like remembering to take medications at the right times, remembering appointments, getting to appointments on-time, scheduling and planning in general, using the computer or phone, preparing meals (timing is really hard for her still), etc. We are currently working with an occupational therapist via Telehealth and are implementing the recommendations and doing the rehab exercises with her, with the intention of helping her regain essential day-to-day capabilities and gain more autonomy. You would be actively involved in implementing the rehab recommendations, getting first-hand experience of what stroke recovery looks like.

We have been working with her directly to support her recovery and rehabilitation since the stroke, but as the economy opens up again our time is becoming more scarce and as such we are looking for outside help. We are really interested in finding someone to help who has a good appreciation of what stroke rehab looks like so that we can continue on a trajectory of recovery. Ideally we would like to find someone who has their own vehicle to drive her to appointments or to run errands on occasion. Your car use/driving her around while on the job would be reimbursed at \$0.59 per kilometer.

Job Details:

Location: A home in North Vancouver

Remuneration: \$18 per hour, plus \$0.59 per kilometer when driving for outings.

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Exact days and times TBC but it will be approx. 20 hours per week