



The Muslim Council of Calgary (MCC), Muslim Association of Calgary (MAC) and Islamic Association Northwest Calgary (IANWC) are looking for an Imam to work in the Maryam Masjid, Beddington Trail, Northwest Calgary. The purpose of this position is to cover our Imam during his long term leave. This is a Full Time, temporary (limited term) position with minimum 40 working hours. There is a potential for this position term to be further extended. The Imam will be the religious leader and consultant/employee of the Muslim Community hired by MCC on behalf of MAC/IANWC.

Imam will be working with the IANWC Board and the Religious Committee and will be reporting to the Chairperson of the IANWC Board.

Position Duration: September 2026 – April 2027

Primary Job Description will include but is not limited to the following:

- Friday (Jumaah) prayer – Khutba/Speech
- Lead a minimum of 3 daily prayers (Fajr, Maghrib and Isha)
- Youth Halaqas
- Daily/Weekly programs (Quran, Hadith, Tajweed, etc – to be decided) to increase knowledge and spiritual growth in the community.
- Lead/organize Taraweeh prayers in Ramadan
- Lead Eid prayers (Eid ul Fitr and Eid ul Adha)

Other job duties may include the following:

- Teach full time Tehfeez/Quran classes (schedule to be determined mutually)
- Educational workshops (to be decided with the IANWC board)
- Counselling (spiritual, family, youth, etc)
- Perform Funeral prayers and accompany the Janaza to the cemetery.
- Perform Nikah ceremonies.

As compensation, Imam will be paid monthly salary by MCC. In addition to this, he will be eligible for Health Care/Insurance Premiums for himself and his immediate family. Position also entitles Imam for 15 working days of vacation per year.



Required Skills:

Islamic & Quranic Knowledge

- Quran memorization with smooth, correct Tajweed with clear and pleasant Qira'at for leading daily prayers, Jummah prayer, Eid and Taraweeh.
- Traditional qualification in Shariah, Fiqh, or Islamic studies to give khutbah, halaqahs and answer every day religious questions.
- Practical experience conducting Nikah and guiding families through Janazah.

Youth Mentorship and Teaching Abilities

- Excellent English communication with natural ability to connect with our youth, establish superior relationship, trust and address challenges young people face.
- Experience running Tahfeez and Quran teaching programs to children in a structure style to track student progress and design engaging weekly classes.
- Ability to engage with the community and deliver Halaqahs and religious lectures and bring community members together.

Community Leadership and Counselling

- Effective public speaking, and delivery of well-researched and structured sessions that resonate with diverse community and multi-generational congregation
- Be conscious of the sensitivities with diverse Masjid attendees and Canadian society expectations. Khutbas and Halaqah to the community to be balanced, appropriate and inclusive.
- A welcoming personality that makes members of all ages comfortable asking questions.
- Empathy, listening and complete confidentiality when dealing with others in the Masjid.

Workstyle and Professionalism

- Reliable in showing on time for all prayers consistently.
- Team player and disciplined who works positively with the IANWC board and volunteers and respect.
- Calm and patient with emotional maturity when dealing with sensitive issues

Interested Candidates should send their resume at info@ianwc.ca not later than Thursday September 10th, 2026.