

Occupational Therapy – Mental Health

ABOUT WOMEN'S HEALTH QUEENSLAND INC.

Women's Health Queensland Inc. (whq) is a not for profit health support, promotion and education service. It's an exciting time to join the organisation, which is currently implementing its new strategic plan and service model.

Our website is currently being remodelled as we are stepping towards a new service approach, but you can obtain a copy of the Position Description: www.womhealth.org.au

THE POSITION:

The purpose of this role is to support women who have experienced or are at risk of gendered violence through the provision of recovery care, health support and lowering risk. It is integral to the role that you are have a trauma informed patient-centered case management approach. The capacity to assist in service and project design is essential, alongside strong community engagement and partnership building skills. In addition to providing counseling services, service delivery will also include awareness-raising and health promotion activities such as events, education, webinars, community facilitation, initiatives and training programs.

This is an exciting and challenging opportunity for an experienced Mental Health Occupational Therapist to play a leading role in improving the health of women in across Queensland. Please refer to the Position Description to learn of the skills, experience and qualifications you need to be successful in this role.

OUR OFFER

- 0.8 to Full-Time role to suit You and whq
- Supportive Staff team and a flexible, family-friendly Workplace
- Base Salary of Pay of Level 5.3-6.3(dependent on skills and experience) under the Social, Community, Home Care and Disability Services Industry Award 2010 (plus super and salary packaging option up to \$15,900 tax free)
- Access to the Employee Assistance Program for independent and confidential counseling

PLEASE RESPOND TO THE FOLLOWING SELECTION CRITERIA IN NO MORE THAN 2-3 A4 PAGES

- Tertiary qualification in Occupational Therapy (Mental Health) with AHPRA registration.
- Three years minimum experience in your professional discipline.
- Evidence of relevant recent clinical experience working within a community health and or social services setting.
- Comprehensive knowledge of current clinical and social women's health and wellbeing issues.
- Skills and experience in working with women who have experienced gendered violence and trauma.
- Experience and understanding of issues relating to service delivery that promote socially and culturally inclusive practices. This includes the issues faced by CALD, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples and communities, and other vulnerable and or disadvantaged groups within the context of health and family wellbeing.
- Understanding of federal and state-based legislation including child protection legislation relevant to service delivery.
- Skills and experience in developing and delivering education to groups of people including clients, health professionals and the wider community.
- Capacity and willingness to participate in the occasional provision of an outreach service.

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APPLICATION:

- For a full Position Description please visit our [website](#).
- Send Your application to admin@womhealth.org.au
- This position will commence immediately. We will review applications as they come in so, if you meet the requirements of this role, please APPLY immediately as the position may fill before the last date for receiving applications.
- Last date for receiving applications is **28th of January 2020**.

Whq is an equal opportunity employer and encourages individuals of diverse backgrounds including but not limited to those from the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander, Culturally and Linguistically Diverse, and the LGBTIQ+ communities, and those living with a disability to apply.

If you would like more information about the role before applying, please contact Emma Iwinska (CEO) on 07 3216 0976 or ceo@womhealth.org.au

Recruitment Agencies please note this recruitment is being managed directly by whq. Your respect for this process is appreciated.