

# NEW NEEDS YOU



## Faculty of Health and Medicine

### Research Assistant

Job Ref#3778

#### About Us

At the University of Newcastle, our staff are curious. We think big, see opportunity and are open to ideas and ask why. We share wisdom and partner with colleagues in Australia and around the globe to create an enduring impact. And we're courageous - bold thinkers who have the confidence to take risks and to inspire change.

The University has an international reputation for research excellence and we continue to build on our research strengths, engagement with industry and partnering with outstanding international universities.

#### Is NEW for you?

Work collaboratively with members of the Health Behaviour Research Collaborative to support staff to build success in research projects, including those focussed on Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health, particularly in the areas of dementia and cancer.

Located in New Lambton Heights, Hunter Medical Research Institute (HMRI) is a world-class institute and is located on the John Hunter Hospital campus in Newcastle and offers the most advanced and cutting edge research facilities and services in the area. With a unique position located strategically to bring together University researchers and clinical staff, HMRI is a research hub, providing a focal point for coordinating strategy, resources and funding to improve the health of both the local and global community.

#### What will you do?

The role will involve assisting researchers from the group with a wide range of support activities including: literature searches, preparing manuscripts for journal submissions, preparing research materials, data collation, liaising with research participants and project stakeholders, and assisting with grant and ethics applications.

This role is fixed term for 6 months, part time (0.6FTE), 3 days per week.

#### About You

- Aboriginality is a genuine occupational qualification and is authorised under Section 14 of the NSW Anti-Discrimination Act 1977. Applicants must be of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent with proof of Aboriginality required.
- Degree in social or health sciences, medicine or allied health professions (or currently enrolled in a degree); or completion of an associate diploma and at least 2 years subsequent relevant work experience; or an equivalent combination of relevant experience and/or education/training

For a full job description visit: <https://www.newcastle.edu.au/about-uon/jobs-at-uon/job-vacancies>

Applications for this position will only be accepted from those with Australian residency or a valid work permit.

#### What NEW can offer?

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We provide opportunities for all people regardless of their background and experience, and this philosophy is reflected across all that we do.

The remuneration is from \$65,861 to \$76,400 pa (pro-rated for part time) + 9.5% super and is commensurate with experience.

#### Your next steps

Click on the **FURTHER INFORMATION AND TO APPLY** button below.

Your application will be assessed on selection criteria. Read all information about the role so you understand what is required. In addition:

- Follow all directions and complete all necessary fields of the application; and
- In your selection criteria demonstrate clearly how your skills and experience meet each point and should be a maximum of four pages.

**Closing Date: Sunday 18 November 2018**

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