



Call for applications for the Victorian Aboriginal Heritage Council

The Minister for Treaty and First Peoples Natalie Hutchins is calling for applications from Victorian Traditional Owners to become members of the Victorian Aboriginal Heritage Council.

What is the Victorian Aboriginal Heritage Council?

The Council protects Aboriginal Cultural Heritage for the enjoyment and benefit of all Victorians.

The Council's principal functions are:

- · advising the Minister for Treaty and First Peoples on Aboriginal Cultural Heritage in Victoria
- · making decisions about applications from Traditional Owners to become Registered Aboriginal Parties
- · overseeing the reporting and return of Ancestral Remains and Secret or Sacred Objects
- · promoting awareness and understanding of Aboriginal Cultural Heritage.

The Council was created under the Aboriginal Heritage Act 2006. The Act protects Aboriginal Cultural Heritage in Victoria, just as other forms of heritage are protected under Victorian law.

The Council is comprised entirely of Traditional Owners, in line with the principle of self-determination.

Expressions of Interest are sought to fill vacancies on the Council

The Minister is seeking expressions of interest from Aboriginal people who:

- are Victorian Traditional Owners
- live in Victoria
- have relevant experience and knowledge of Aboriginal Cultural Heritage in Victoria.

Consideration will also be given to experience in governance and previous work under the Aboriginal Heritage Act 2006.

Council welcomes applicants from a diverse range of backgrounds and experiences, including people of different genders, people of all ages, people with disability, and LGBTQI+ people.

Council members are expected to have adequate time to commit to Council. They are paid a sitting fee and are reimbursed for travel expenses in accordance with Victorian Government guidelines.

Please email your CV and written expression of interest (which can be found at Council's website: https://www.aboriginalheritagecouncil.vic.gov.au/become-member-aboriginal-heritage-council), addressing the above criteria to: vahc@dpc.vic.gov.au

Expressions of Interest must be received by 5pm on Thursday 25 September 2025.

For further information, please contact the Office of the Victorian Aboriginal Heritage Council.

E: vahc@dpc.vic.gov.au

T: 0429 019 229

W: aboriginalheritagecouncil.vic.gov.au

Aboriginal Family Clinician - Child Protection Counselling Service

Employment Type: Permanent Part Time

The Child Protection Counselling Service (CPCS) within Central Coast Local Health District is seeking a dedicated and culturally responsive Aboriginal Family Clinician to join our team. This is a unique and meaningful opportunity to work with Aboriginal children, young people, and families who are engaged with the child protection system.

Working on Darkinjung Country, you will help support children's recovery from trauma and strengthen family capacity to keep children safe, connected, and supported within their communities

As the Aboriginal Family Clinician, you will:

- · Provide trauma-informed counselling and casework for Aboriginal children, young people (0-18 years), and their families/carers impacted by: physical or emotional abuse; neglect or exposure to domestic and family violence
- Deliver therapeutic interventions that promote healing, wellbeing, and cultural connection.
- Support families to strengthen their parenting capacity and work towards safe family restoration or preservation.
- · Engage and build trust with local Aboriginal communities and service providers to increase access to culturally safe support.
- · Contribute to the ongoing development of culturally safe, responsive service models within VAN (Violence Abuse & Neglect)
- · Work collaboratively as part of a small, supportive multidisciplinary team, including Clinical Leads and a Service Manager. Note: If a Social Worker is appointed to this role, participation in the Hospital On-Call Service will be required as per the on-call

For role-related queries, please contact:

Claire - Louise Kerr

Phone: 0459 302 167

Email: clairelouise.kerr@health.nsw.gov.au

Applications Close: Sunday 07 September at 2025 at 11:59 pm.

This is a position identified for Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander people on the basis of a genuine occupational qualification under section 14(d) of the Anti-Discrimination Act 1977. Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander applicants must demonstrate Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander status in addition to addressing the selection criteria.



Aboriginal Case Manager Casino

Make a real difference in your community.

Momentum Collective is seeking a passionate Aboriginal Case Manager to join our team in Casino. This full-time, fixed-term role (until June 2026) is part of our Specialist Homelessness Services -Domestic and Family Violence program, supporting First Nations individuals and families.

We're looking for someone who brings cultural knowledge, lived experience, and a deep commitment to supporting mob with compassion and dignity

Why Momentum Collective?

We're proud to offer:

A culturally safe and inclusive workplace

Career development and mentoring tailored for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander employees

A team that values trust, respect, wellbeing, and working together

Opportunities to create real social change in your community

Your role:

You'll deliver person-centred support to First Nations clients impacted by domestic and family violence, helping them find safety, stability, and strength.

If you'd like to have a yarn before applying, please reach out – we'd love to connect.

Call Cindy on 0417 228 384

■ Email: recruitment@mymomentum.org.au



Aboriginal Social and Emotional Wellbeing Peer Worker

Employment Type: Temporary Full Time - 30 June 2028

Remuneration: \$1198.03 - \$1731.68 week

Central Coast Local Health District is committed to growing and supporting our Aboriginal health workforce and delivering trusted care and better health for Aboriginal people on the Central Coast.

About the Role

As an Aboriginal Mental Health & Wellbeing Peer Worker, you will use your lived experience of mental health recovery to support Aboriginal people across the Central Coast. Whether it's in Emergency Departments, Safe Havens, inpatient units, or out in the community, you will walk alongside individuals, offering hope, connection, and culturally grounded support.

This role is about more than service delivery, it is about creating safe spaces, strengthening identity, and promoting healing through culture, community, and shared experience. You will be a respected part of a multidisciplinary team, helping ensure mental health care is welcoming and appropriate for mob.

You'll also receive training and ongoing support, including access to the Certificate IV in Mental Health Peer Work, peer supervision, and development opportunities to grow in your role and leadership.

Be part of a passionate team making a real difference.

For role-related queries, please contact:

Loran Hutchison

Phone: 0457 601 960

Email: loran.hutchison@health.nsw.gov.au

Applications Close: Sunday 14 September at 11:59 pm 2025

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