

# Aboriginal Health Worker – Gambling Education Project

**Department:** Western Sydney LHD

**Classification:** Aboriginal Health Worker

**Location:** Mount Druitt Hospital – Aboriginal Health Hub

**Employment Status:** Temporary Full-Time

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The Aboriginal Health Worker is primarily responsible for the Aboriginal community engagement and health promotion, education and programs to and for the local Aboriginal Community in the WSLHD with a focus on gambling and the consequences of gambling. This includes working collaboratively within the relevant sections of the WSLHD and other external agencies in the planning, implementation and evaluation of Aboriginal specific early intervention and / or prevention health education resources, tool and programs that may need to be developed for the local Aboriginal communities across the WSLHD.

## Selection criteria:

1. This is an Identified Aboriginal/Torres Strait Islander Position. Applicants for this position must be of Aboriginal descent through parentage, identification as being Aboriginal and being accepted in the community as such. Exemption is claimed under Section 14 of the *Anti-Discrimination Act 1977*.
2. Demonstrated understanding of the range of factors that have influenced the health status of Aboriginal communities and the impact and consequences of gambling on Aboriginal and other vulnerable communities.
3. Certificate III in Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care or relevant qualification OR willingness to complete and to undertake further training as identified.
4. Demonstrated knowledge and or experience in developing, implementing, reviewing and evaluating culturally appropriate health educational programs and or initiatives to Aboriginal communities.
5. Demonstrated skills in developing partnerships and collaboration and working with other agencies.
6. Highly Demonstrated written and verbal communication skills.
7. Well-developed computer skills including utilising data bases.
8. Hold a current valid unrestricted Driver's License valid in Australia.

**Closing Dates: 3 March 2020**

**Applications must be lodged electronically.**  
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**and search Job Reference Number REQ150929.**

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