

Aboriginal Health Worker

The Aboriginal Health Worker (AHW) is an integral team member in healthcare to help combat the high burden of disease and mortality rates in Aboriginal communities. At the Sydney Children's Hospitals Network (SCHN), a tertiary and quaternary service, the AHW has a unique role to play in supporting Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander patients and their families who attend from both local and far-reaching communities.

The AHW will perform a number of tasks including:

- Work collaboratively with clinical teams to engage Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families who attend the SCHN to ensure culturally safe care is provided.
- Provide education to health care providers to ensure staff deliver culturally appropriate care.
- Create partnerships with local, state-wide and Australia wide stakeholders
- Assist in planning events to acknowledge significant dates such as National Close the Gap Day and NAIDOC week.
- What you will bring
- Excellent communication skills
- Warmth and empathic attitude
- Patience and resilience
- Initiative

In this role Aboriginality is a genuine occupational qualification and is authorised by section 14(d) of the Anti-Discrimination Act 1997.

****You may be required to work in any facility within The Sydney Children's Hospitals Network. Should this occur, reasonable notice will be provided****

As this is a "Category A" position, please refer to the Application Guide for vaccination requirements.

This position requires a Working with Children Check (WWCC) issued by the Commission for Children and Young People. For more information on how to apply for the clearance, please visit the Commission and Young People Website <https://check.kids.nsw.gov.au/>

Employment Type: Permanent Full Time

Position Classification: Aboriginal Health Worker

Remuneration: 54220 - 79857

Hours Per Week: 38

Requisition ID: REQ147934

Location: Randwick

Application Link: <https://jobs.health.nsw.gov.au/jobs/aboriginal-health-worker-62926>

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Applications close: 08/03/2020

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