



Aboriginal Population Health Trainee

Location: Western Sydney Local Health District

Classification: Health Manager Level 1

Employment Status: 2 x Temporary Full Time (Up to 3 years)

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Purpose of Position:

The position will build capacity within the Aboriginal workforce to develop and implement population health strategies to protect and promote the health of the people in the local community.

The holder of this position will complete a three-year traineeship as part of the NSW Aboriginal Population Health Training Initiative. This will involve a series of work-based placements within the health service and part-time study towards a Master of Public Health degree at a NSW-based university. For more information on the Aboriginal Population Health Training Initiative please visit health.nsw.gov.au/training/aphti/.

Essential Criteria:

Evidence of Diversity claim: Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander (pursuant to Section 14 (d) of the *Anti-discrimination Act NSW 1977*)

Selection Criteria:

1. Must be of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander descent. An applicant's race is a genuine occupational qualification and is authorised by Section 14 (d) of the *Anti-Discrimination Act 1977, NSW*.
 2. Sound knowledge of social, cultural, political and health issues affecting Aboriginal people, families and communities and demonstrated understanding of the social determinants of Aboriginal Health.
 3. Minimum of three years' experience in health related full- time equivalent employment.
 4. Demonstrated high level oral and written communication and interpersonal skills.
 5. Demonstrated self-direction and ability to set priorities and manage competing deadlines.
 6. Demonstrated experience in the use of Microsoft office applications, including MS Word and Excel.
 7. Successful completion of a recognised undergraduate degree and/or ability to meet the admission requirements for the post graduate degree of Master of Public Health at a University in NSW.
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Closing Dates: 22 November 2020

Applications must be lodged electronically.

Please go to healthnswgov.referrals.selectminds.com and search Job Reference Number REQ194961.

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