



ALCOHOL & OTHER DRUGS (AOD) WORKER

- 33 hours per week, 7-day roster
- Above SCHCADS Award rate of pay
- NFP Salary Sacrificing available

An opportunity exists for an enthusiastic, collaborative individual to offer basic counselling and psychoeducational groups within a detoxification unit and 12-week residential program. You will be part of a multidisciplinary team working at the Odyssey House NSW Ingleburn and Eaglevale sites.

As the successful applicant you will join our dedicated Odyssey House NSW team on a permanent full-time basis. You will facilitate groups, provide basic counselling, conduct treatment planning groups, and conduct any relevant assessments and evaluations as required for the stage of each resident. You will attend weekly team meetings to review residents in the therapy group and ensure they're receiving the specialized care that meets their individual needs.

Closing Date: 5 May 2019

ESSENTIAL SELECTION CRITERIA:

- Tertiary qualifications in Alcohol and Other Drugs Counselling and/or Social Work, or equivalent demonstrated experience
- Demonstrated experience working directly with individuals recovering from AOD dependencies
- Provide ongoing coordination and support to residents within the program under the Therapeutic Model
- Ability to act as a calming influence for other staff on duty and residents
- High degree of organization, oral and written communication skills, including report writing, case notes and data recording
- Understanding of the principles of the Privacy Act and its practical implementation in service delivery
- Commitment to the Odyssey House NSW Mission and Values, WHS, EEO and continuous quality improvement
- Must be available to work weekend shifts with ability to work unsupervised during any shift you may be allocated (Odyssey House NSW operates 24/7)
- Hold a current NSW Driver's License
- Hold or have the ability to obtain a current Criminal History Check and Working With Children clearance
- Unlimited right to work and live in Australia.

ABOUT US:

Odyssey House NSW is a not for profit, multi-site organisation that offers a diverse range of residential and community services for those impacted by the complexities of alcohol and other drug dependency.

The Odyssey House NSW team is made up of experienced, skilled and motivated professionals who understand the challenges that may be impacting the life and health of individuals, their families, friends and the wider community due to alcohol and other drug dependency.

If you are interested in this role, meet the above criteria and believe you are a great fit for our organisation, apply as per below.

Only shortlisted applicants will be contacted. No Agencies please.

To apply:

- Include an updated copy of your Resume
- Address the Essential Criteria briefly in a Cover Letter to Sonia Herrera (HR31)
- Email your application to Sonia@OdysseyHouse.com.au

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