



INDIGENOUS LIAISON AOD WORKER

- Western Sydney Locations
- Full Time, Fixed Term to June 2020
- NFP Salary Sacrificing available

This is an exciting opportunity for an experienced Indigenous Liaison Worker with experience in the Alcohol and Other Drug (AOD) sector to work within a small team for the Odyssey House NSW Community Services Program within the Western Sydney PHN.

The purpose of this position is to assist in the development, implementation and delivery of an AOD service model that is culturally appropriate and meets the needs of Aboriginal communities within the Western Sydney region.

Odyssey House NSW considers that being Aboriginal or a Torres Strait Islander is a genuine occupational requirement for this position under s 14 of the Anti-Discrimination Act 1977 (NSW).

ESSENTIAL SELECTION CRITERIA:

- Able to demonstrate significant experience in the Alcohol and Other Drugs and Mental Health sector within Indigenous communities working with individuals, families and carers.
- Demonstrated experience working with culturally diverse, complex, coerced and co-morbid AOD / MH populations in a community-based service.
- An understanding of health issues that affect Indigenous peoples.
- Able to demonstrate ability to facilitate and deliver a range of culturally appropriate health promotion and education programs within the community.
- Able to demonstrate significant experience in interagency collaboration.
- Demonstrated skills in written communication, including report writing, case notes and data management.
- Knowledge of evidence-based treatment, harm minimisation, care coordination and support strategies.
- 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.
- Hold a current NSW Driver's Licence.
- 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 teams are 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.

With respect, this position is not open to Agencies.

To apply:

- Include an updated copy of your Resume
- Address the Essential Criteria briefly in a Cover Letter to Cameron Brown (HR62)
- Email your application to Cameron@OdysseyHouse.com.au

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