



PROFESSIONALISM

CREATIVITY

RESPECT

INTEGRITY

## SPECIALIST TREATMENT AND SUPPORT WORKER – PART TIME

- **Immediate start – Redfern base location**
- **NFP Salary Sacrificing available**
- **Part Time 0.5 role with an essential service provider until June 2022 with likely extension**

Due to a recent expansion of programs and services, Odyssey House NSW is looking to recruit a part time staff member to work with our Community Programs team based in Redfern. In line with our funding contracts, the role is initially until June 2022, however potential to be ongoing in line with contracts.

This is an exciting opportunity for an experienced and innovative professional to work to support people in the Central and Eastern Sydney region with mental health concerns, including those with co-occurring concerns with alcohol and other drugs.

The role will include one-to-one and group support, case management and care coordination and the establishment of effective linkages with other supports in the community.

### ESSENTIAL SELECTION CRITERIA:

- Relevant VET qualification.
- (Desirable) Tertiary qualification in relevant field.
- Significant experience supporting persons with alcohol and other drugs support needs, mental health support needs and/or co-existing support needs.
- Experience in group facilitation and group program delivery.
- Demonstrable experience working in team environment to deliver coordinated support.
- Demonstrated experience undertaking brief and comprehensive assessment as well as ongoing assessment of client support needs.
- Experience in provision of one-to-one support for people with AOD and/or Mental Health support needs.
- Computer literacy including understanding of MS Office Suite and use of Client Management Systems.
- Demonstrable communication skills including report writing, case note writing.
- Understanding of the principles of the Privacy Act and its practical implementation in service delivery.
- Knowledge of evidence-based treatment, harm minimisation, care coordination and support strategies.
- Knowledge of and commitment to implement the principles of 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 for paid employment.
- Unlimited right to live and work in Australia.

### ABOUT US:

Odyssey House NSW is a not for profit, multi-site organisation that offers a diverse range of residential and community programs 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. For more information about us, head to our website at [www.odysseyhouse.com.au](http://www.odysseyhouse.com.au).

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

*In line with the Public Health Order, all NSW Health Workers are required to receive the COVID-19 vaccination. To be eligible for consideration for employment with Odyssey House NSW, prior to appointment all recruits must provide evidence of their vaccination, or alternatively provide a Medical Contraindication in the approved form which complies with the requirements of the Public Health Order.*

### TO APPLY:

- Include an updated version of your Resume
- Address the Essential Criteria in a Cover Letter to Russell Bickford (Ref: HR291)
- Email your application to [russell.bickford@odysseyhouse.com.au](mailto:russell.bickford@odysseyhouse.com.au)