



POSITION VACANCY ADVERTISEMENT

Office of the Chief Executive Officer Mental Health Clinician 76.0 hours per fortnight (negotiable)

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Twelve months fixed term

The Position

This position sits within the Bendigo Community Health Services (BCHS) Mental Health Programs team and headspace Bendigo. The primary focus of the teams is to support the health and well-being of consumers through services and linkages, improve community awareness and understanding of issues and the impact on their mental health, lead coordinated care and referral pathways internally and externally across a range of multidisciplinary services.

This position will work closely with BCHS and headspace staff, in collaboration with the General Practitioners, to provide high quality clinical mental health assessments and care coordination for consumers with a complex mental illness.

The successful applicant will have:-

- 1. Approved tertiary qualifications in a relevant discipline (Occupational Therapy, Social Work, Nursing, Psychology).
- 2. Current registration with the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA) or membership or eligibility for membership of the relevant professional association.
- 3. Demonstrated experience in leading comprehensive and integrated care coordination and the ability to work independently.
- 4. The ability to develop care plans, coordinate care with other services and advocate for consumer needs.
- 5. Strong knowledge of services available for consumers in Bendigo who have a mental illness.

Salary and conditions of employment are in accordance with qualifications.

For further information about the position call Meg Bennett, Manager - headspace on 03 5434 5345 or Janaya Wiggins, Team Manager - Counselling and Mental Health Programs on 03 5430 0500.

Bendigo Community Health Services encourages applications from individuals of all backgrounds and abilities.

Applications addressing the 'Key Selection Criteria' should be marked 'Private and Confidential' and sent to Human Resources by 4.00pm on Friday 6 July 2018 by one of the following means:

By Email: recruitment@bchs.com.au

By Mail: Post Office Box 1121 Bendigo Central Vic 3552

By Hand: 171 Hargreaves Street Bendigo

By Fax: (03) 5441 4200

Applications will be acknowledged upon receipt. Applicants are requested to contact Human Resources on telephone 5448 1600 if an acknowledgement has not been received within two working days.