

Better Health
Social Support Group
SOCIAL SUPPORT GROUP ASSISTANT

39 hours per fortnight
Ongoing position

The Position

The Social Support Group Assistant is central to the provision of social support services to older, isolated, and disabled persons in Elmore. This role will assist in planned sessions activities that aid in daily living skills, maintenance of independence, low level physical activities, outings, celebrations, and leisure activities of an assorted nature.

The successful applicant will be engaging, empathetic and caring, and their actions will be aligned to the philosophy and objectives of Bendigo Community Health Services, in providing a high-quality effective service while at the same time building strong positive relationships based on mutual respect, understanding personal dignity and professional sensitivity to individual rights.

Workdays will be Monday, Wednesday and Friday – 9am to 4pm.

To successfully apply for this position you will need:

1. A Certificate IV in Community Services/Ageing Support or related discipline.
2. Demonstrated experience in working in an aged/disability support program.
3. A sound knowledge of the Commonwealth Home Support Program (CHSP), Home and Community Care Services (HACC) and Social Support / Planned Activity Group.
4. Ability to provide vaccination status information that meets the requirements for healthcare workers.

For further information about the position contact Judy Ryan on 03 5406 1558.

To view the position description please go to <https://www.bchs.com.au/careers/current-jobs>

Applications addressing the **Key Selection Criteria** which can be found in the position description, should be emailed to recruitment@bchs.com.au by 10pm Sunday, 16 April.

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

Applications will be acknowledged upon receipt. Applicants are requested to contact Human Resources on telephone 5406 1312 if an automatic acknowledgement has not been received.