

## Primary Health Nurse (22.8 hours, 3 days per week)

City Mission is seeking a qualified nurse - Enrolled Nurse (Division 2) or Registered Nurse (Division 1). The role will offer clinical support to those pursuing help to manage their addiction based at our residential recovery centre Missiondale.

Experience working with people who are living with addiction is beneficial in the role, but if you are able to demonstrate care alongside good professional boundaries, we would encourage you to apply. Working as part of a team is critical in this role, as well as showing initiative and flexibility.

Missiondale provides a supportive environment for people engaging in long-term recovery in a Therapeutic Community setting. Missiondale is set on a peaceful 25 acres outside of Evandale and is funded for 34 beds, delivering a six-month program. The program includes individual and group therapy, skills development, case management and clinical support. Clients who enter Missiondale have completed their detox or withdrawal period elsewhere prior to admission.

This position and salary will be based on the Social, Community, Home Care and Disability Services Industry Award 2010. As a Public Benevolent Institution, Launceston City Mission employees are eligible to salary package through our approved provider.

Please address the selection criteria below in your application.

## **SELECTION CRITERIA (Essential Qualifications/Experience):**

- General registration as an Enrolled Nurse (Division 2) or Registered Nurse (Division 1) with AHPRA
- Minimum 3 years' experience
- Demonstrated capacity to work autonomously.
- Highly developed communication skills
- Sound computer skills including MS Office suite and Best Practice Software
- Well developed assessment skills
- Demonstrated ability to work within policy and procedure and Scope of Practice
- Experience providing culturally appropriate care based on best practice principles and guidelines.
- National Police Check is required for all roles at LCM.
- Working with Vulnerable People Card or willingness to obtain

## **SELECTION CRITERIA (Desirable Qualifications/Experience):**

- Experience or demonstrated capacity to work in an organisation adopting a Christian ethos.
- Prior experience working in Primary Health, AOD or mental health environments would be advantageous Ability to maintain positive professional relationships with clients and staff.

The position requires the employee to develop working relationships with clients, Missiondale Management Team as well as visiting and external clinicians

Primarily the Primary Health Nurse will be responsible for health assessment and clinical care of clients as appropriate to their Scope of Practice. The position will require participation in health promotion activities and wellness practices specific to AOD recovery and mental health.



If you have a passion to work as part of a friendly team in a caring, compassionate environment, knowing that our success will be directed towards those struggling with dependency related problems, we encourage you to apply.

Please send your application **addressing the selection criteria** and your ability to effectively perform the primary tasks above to the Manager People & Culture, Launceston City Mission, PO Box 168, Launceston, or upload it to the SEEK website.

A full job description is available by phoning 6335 3000 during office hours, by emailing <a href="mailto:office@citymission.org.au">office@citymission.org.au</a>, or via our website – <a href="www.citymission.org.au/support-us/work-with-us">www.citymission.org.au</a>, or via our website – <a href="www.citymission.org.au/support-us/work-with-us">www.citymission.org.au/support-us/work-with-us</a>.

Applications close on Monday 29th July 2024 at 9am.