



Winnunga Nimmityjah Aboriginal Health and Community Services LTD (Winnunga AHCS)

Winnunga AHCS is an Aboriginal community controlled health and community service providing holistic health care to the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities of the ACT and surrounding areas. The Service manages approximately 30 programs through various funding agreements and employs more than 80 staff offering salary sacrifice pursuant to tax department regulations and organisational policy.

Cultural Support Worker for the Australian Nurse Family Partnership Program

An exciting opportunity for a Social Health Worker has become available for an enthusiastic and dedicated individual to join the ANFPP team at Winnunga on a full-time basis.

The ANFPP is a program of sustained and scheduled home visiting for first time mothers that begins during the antenatal period and continues until the child is two years old. The program empowers clients to improve their personal health and wellbeing, environmental health, increase their self- efficacy and improve the health and development of their children, whilst being supported to explore strategies to achieve personal goals.

The ANFPP involves Nurse Home Visitors and Family Partnership Cultural Support Workers visiting women pregnant with an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander baby and their families using a therapeutic, partnership approach.

The Cultural Support Worker will be a part of the team that implements the Nurse–Family Partnership model within Winnunga’s ANFPP and early intervention services. The successful applicant will be provided with extensive and continued education in collaboration with other ANFPP sites around Australia. The successful applicant will be from Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander backgrounds and will have working with Aboriginal clients and or Aboriginal services and possess strong communication skills.

Aboriginality is a genuine qualification for the above positions and is authorised under section 42 of the Discrimination Act 1991 (ACT) and S8 of the Racial Discrimination Act 1975 (Cth)

A copy of the position description and selection criteria may be obtained by calling **Apurba Sharma** on 02 62846222 Ext: 193 or email to hr@winnunga.org.au. Applications should be addressed and mailed to Julie Tongs, CEO, Winnunga Nimmityjah Aboriginal Health & Community Services, 63 Boolimba Cres, Narrabundah ACT 2604 or by email to hr@winnunga.org.au

WORKING WITH VULNERABLE PEOPLE CHECK (WWVPC)

All people employed at Winnunga are required to provide their WWVPC registration, or to carry out a WWVPC pursuant to the Working With Vulnerable People (Background Checking) Act 2011 (ACT).

Winnunga is committed to providing a safe environment to all staff, clients and visitors. As a result Winnunga has a mandatory COVID-19 vaccination policy for all staff. Evidence of vaccination will be required to be provided during the recruitment process and applicants are to be fully vaccinated prior to the start of their employment.