

## **POSITION DESCRIPTION**

Title:	Regional Manager – ACT region
Enterprise Agreement:	Social and Community Services Employees (State) Award 2010
Classification:	Community Service Worker above award (\$100,000 p.a.)
Usual work location:	Canberra ACT
Cost Centre:	191
Usual hours of work:	Full-time (76 hours per fortnight)
Position Objective:	Responsible for the management of a range of Community and Health Service programs across the ACT Region.
Position Responsibilities:	<ul> <li>Provide strong leadership consistent with the vision, mission and philosophy of the organisation.</li> <li>Facilitate the development and implementation of regional and service plans in your area of responsibility in accordance with the agency's strategic plan.</li> <li>Facilitate the negotiation of funding agreements and ensure compliance requirements are met.</li> <li>Develop and maintain key stakeholder partnerships.</li> <li>Actively pursue new programs consistent with the organisation's strategic directions for growth and development.</li> <li>Participate at a management level in decision making on operational matters and the future development of the organisation.</li> <li>Ensure staff are supervised and supported in the performance of their roles in accordance with</li> </ul>

the organisation's policy, procedures and systems.

	<ul> <li>Take direct leadership and responsibility for the financial management including the preparation of budgets and monitoring of overall expenditure to ensure it remains within budget.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Ensure appropriate service policy and procedures are developed and implemented so as to</li> </ul>
	achieve the objectives of the individual services.
	<ul> <li>Participate in the implementation of the Sanctuary Framework</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Ensure a high priority of client focus in all services and programs</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Ensure professional management of service user records and service data.</li> <li>Ensure that all WHS requirements are carried out in services under your responsibility.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Undertake other duties within skills, competence and ability as required.</li> </ul>
Key behaviours:	<u>Analysis</u> Reviews and analyses information and recommends a specific course of action. <u>Communication</u> Communicates clearly and accurately – listens to and understands the views of others.
	<u>Decision Making</u> Makes decisions based on rational and logical assumptions and after considering organisational priorities.
	<u>Flexibility</u> Recognises and responds to unanticipated events and requirements or sudden changes of priority.
	<u>Leadership</u> Uses appropriate interpersonal styles and methods to guide individuals or groups towards achieving results.

<u>Outcome focused</u> Identifies and accomplishes challenging objectives by doing whatever is necessary to achieve the goal.

	<u>Problem Solving</u> Identifies and defines problems and feasible solutions through gathering and analysing information
	<u>Reliability</u> Adheres to routine and follows instruction in order to ensure consistency in process and result.
	<u>Supervision</u> Directs, motivates and trains a team through personal example while ensuring a productive team environment.
Key skills:	<ul> <li>Well-developed leadership skills at a senior management level</li> <li>Well-developed organisational skills</li> <li>Project management</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Excellent communication and presentation skills</li> <li>Excellent written skills and ability to prepare reports</li> <li>Demonstrated financial management skills across multiple budgets, income streams, cost distribution, monthly reporting on expenditure against income</li> <li>Well developed computer literacy skills, including word processing</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Ability to negotiate with the complexity of senior Government and NGO stakeholders involved in the delivery of educational, primary health, housing and community support programs</li> </ul>
Key knowledge areas:	Complex needs clients in the 12-25 age cohort, clinical services management, community services delivery, youth culture and diversity, service and staff management
Key experience:	Youth welfare/health service delivery and management; community services delivery and oversight; medical centre / clinical management experience; senior management
Qualifications:	Relevant human or health services degree
Requirements:	<ul> <li>All applicants will be required to:</li> <li>Address the Key Behaviours, Key Skills and Key Knowledge areas against the Position</li> </ul>

Responsibilities as outlined in the Position Description;

- have a Working With Vulnerable People clearance through the Office of Regulatory Services (ACT);
- Undergo both a National Criminal History Check and a psychometric profiling instrument Safe Select ™ prior to appointment.

Reports to: General Manager, Community Services - Child, Youth and Family