

Coonamble Aboriginal Health Service (CAHS) is seeking an enthusiastic person to fill the position of Aboriginal Health Practitioner (AHP). This role will work closely with the clinical team in the delivery of primary health care. This position will be based at the Gilgandra Local Aboriginal Medical Service (GLAMS), NSW.

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Practitioners play a vital role in the primary health workforce. They provide clinical and primary health care for individuals, families and community groups. They deal with patients, clients and visitors to hospitals and health clinics. They also assist in arranging, coordinating and providing health care within the Gilgandra community. The Aboriginal Health Practitioner will undergo continuous training to fulfil this role.

**NOTE: This is an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander identified position authorised by Section 14 of the Anti-Discrimination Act 1977, NSW.**

## 1. Key Selection Criteria

- Proof of Aboriginality or Torres Strait Islander (NB: applicants race is a genuine occupational qualification and is authorised by Section 14 of the Anti-Discrimination Act 1977, NSW)
- Certificate IV or higher in Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care Practice
- Demonstrated effective communication skills
- Demonstrated ability to build rapport with patients
- Demonstrated understanding of the barriers faced by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people when accessing mainstream primary care services.
- Knowledge and experience using Best Practice appointment system, or willingness to learn
- Current NSW Driver's Licence
- Current NSW Working With Children Check
- Current National Criminal History Check

## 2. Additional Factors

- Current First Aid & CPR certificates
- Proof of vaccination must be provided upon acceptance of appointment.

## Remuneration Range – Based on qualifications and experience

All applications must include a **current resume, proof of Aboriginality** along with **cover letter addressing all Key Selection Criteria and Additional Factors** and be received by no later than 5pm Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2024. Applications can be sent to [PhilN@ctgservices.com.au](mailto:PhilN@ctgservices.com.au) or PO Box 36, Coonamble NSW 2829 (Please note, all mail must be received by the closing date).