



Lockyer Valley Correctional Centre

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Position Fact Sheet: Allied Health Clinician

About the Centre

Once fully operational, the new men's correctional centre, near Gatton in the Lockyer Valley, will be a 1536 bed high security prison. Design and construction of this modern, purpose-built centre focuses on rehabilitation to reduce reoffending. The operating model of the centre represents a new direction with many services being onsite, including mental health, disability, alcohol, and drug rehabilitation services.

Contemporary research has identified a strong correlation between engagement in rehabilitation-focused activities and better behaviour inside prison, which supports increased likelihood of reduced offending behaviour upon release. Studies show that prisoners who participate in criminogenic and desistance programs, education options and reintegration services are less likely to reoffend after release. Rehabilitation-focused services and programs provide prisoners with the skills, knowledge and resources required to lead successful, crime-free lives after release.

The design of the centre supports a therapeutic environment, allowing more time for staff to focus on prisoner care and development.

Snapshot of the Allied Health Clinician role

- Be a part of a multidisciplinary team providing trauma informed clinical services to adults in correctional centres.
- Conduct risk assessments of suicide and harm to self or others, including acute or chronic risk, and provide advice regarding safe management.
- Administer discipline-specific assessments and interventions.
- Conduct functional assessment of behaviours of concern adversely affecting the adult's quality of life and inform individual management strategies.
- Deliver individual or group-based brief interventions, skill acquisition focused interventions aimed at developing coping skills and building resilience.
- Work collaboratively with other stakeholders and agencies to provide specialised support to individuals with complex needs.

We want you!

Social Worker

Possess a Social Work degree and be eligible for membership of the Australian Association of Social Workers (AASW).

Psychologist

Possess a Psychology degree and hold general or provisional registration as a Psychologist with Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA).

Occupational Therapist

Possess an Occupational Therapy degree and hold/be eligible to hold registration with the Occupational Therapy Board of Australia/AHPRA.

Why join our team?

- Starting salary of \$98,336 (effective 01/07/24) per annum plus superannuation
- Access to excellent work life balance.
- Work with like-minded staff who want to make a positive change in the lives of individuals.
- Access to continuous professional development opportunities.
- Numerous career progression pathways



Things to consider

Qualifications

Some advertised roles require minimum mandatory qualifications, professional registrations or other requirements. Each of these will be listed in the role description.

Role description

Review the role description attached to the advertisement to gain a broad understanding of the role.

Eligibility

Applicants need to be either:

- An Australian citizen or permanent resident
- A New Zealand citizen who has entered Australia on a valid passport
- A non-citizen of Australia with a valid visa

Application

Cover Page

Your cover page should introduce yourself to the selection panel and highlight your key skills, attributes and experience for the specific role.

Resume

Your resume should provide a clear and complete picture of your work experience, education, qualifications, major achievements and volunteering. Your resume should be no longer than three pages.

References

Within your resume or in a supporting document, between one and three referees should be provided. It is important your referees are aware of your intention to use them as a referee. We may ask for specific referees such as your current line manager.

More Information

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