



## Diabetes Educator | Fitzroy

- 6-month Fixed Term
- Work with a committed team of health professionals

### About the Organisation

The Victorian Aboriginal Health Service (VAHS) was established in 1973 to address the specific medical needs of Victorian Aboriginal communities. The organisation has expanded steadily over past 40 years to provide a comprehensive range of medical, dental, and social services for our community.

As well as providing a variety of medical services, VAHS is committed to supporting the well-being of the community through contributions to community events and activities. VAHS is also committed to assisting research into the ongoing needs of the community.

VAHS is a child safe organisation.

### About the Opportunity

The role of the Diabetes Educator is to oversee the care of all patients with diabetes who attend VAHS and to work alongside Aboriginal Health Workers, General Practitioners, and other Allied Health Professionals.

### Key Selection Criteria

To be considered for this role you must have the following.

- An understanding of and commitment to the Aboriginal community
- Qualification and current registration in a health field such as Nursing/Allied Health
- Currently credentialed as Diabetes Educator with Australian Diabetes Educators Association
- Demonstrated willingness to work across primary care spectrum, including with individual patients & families, groups, and community-targeted health promotion.
- Demonstrated knowledge and understanding of the impact of diabetes and chronic disease generally on Aboriginal people
- Demonstrated knowledge and competence with Microsoft Office applications and with clinical software programs.
- Understanding of care planning, multidisciplinary care coordination and recall
- Demonstrated ability to prepare and present to groups of people
- Demonstrated ability to maintain data and complete regular report

### How to Apply

Applications can be submitted to: [Employment@vahs.org.au](mailto:Employment@vahs.org.au) before Sunday 11pm, 27 February 2022. Request for position description can be made via [employment@vahs.org.au](mailto:employment@vahs.org.au).

*Please note: You will need to be vaccinated against Covid 19 and be prepared to undergo a criminal background check as part of the recruitment process.*