



**VICTORIAN ABORIGINAL
HEALTH SERVICE**
Caring for the Community

Case Manager / Social Worker - Yarning Safe and Strong (YSNS)

- 4 available positions – 2 case managers and 2 social workers
- 12-month fixed term contract
- Community Focused- Opportunity to give back

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 YSNS Case Manager / Social Worker will manage a case load of clients with varying needs and identified issues.

Key Selection Criteria

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

- Hold strong understanding and commitment to Aboriginal communities and their needs.
- Proven ability to work effectively with Aboriginal people and families experiencing challenges in a respectful, culturally safe, compassionate manner.
- Proven ability to work with a range of people and organisations (including forensic, and dual diagnosis clients) in a non-judgmental and respectful manner.
- Demonstrated understanding of community-based interventions for reducing stress and trauma.
- Proven ability to work with a range of people and organisations (including forensic, and dual diagnosis clients) in a non-judgmental and respectful manner.
- A demonstrated commitment to teamwork and the ability to take appropriate individual and team responsibility for the welfare of clients.
- Experience working with Aboriginal Torres Strait Islander People.
- Diploma in Community Services or related field, or relevant experience.

How to Apply

Please forward your covering letter (addressing the key selection criteria) and resume to Employment@vahs.org.au before Monday 9pm, 18 April 2022.

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