



VICTORIAN ABORIGINAL
HEALTH SERVICE
Caring for the Community

ADVANCED TRAINEE IN INDIGENOUS CHILD HEALTH 2024 | Fitzroy ACCREDITED RACP COMMUNITY CHILD HEALTH TRAINING

APPLICATION DATE EXTENDED

- Commencing February 2024
- Fitzroy – Melbourne
- Full time
- ***Part-time and job share arrangements will be considered.***

About the Organisation

The Victorian Aboriginal Health Service (VAHS) was established in 1973 to address the specific medical needs of Victorian Aboriginal communities. 2023 marks as a landmark year as VAHS proudly celebrate it's 50-year of providing a comprehensive range of medical, dental, allied health, 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, committed to child safety and wellbeing, and recruits' staff in accordance with the Child Safe Standards Victoria.

About the Opportunity

The role is accredited by the RACP for Advanced Training in Community Child Health and is supervised by Staff Pediatrician's.

The role will provide Paediatrics services to patients and secondary consultations to the multidisciplinary team and partner agencies.

Key Selection Criteria

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

- Understanding of and Commitment to the Aboriginal community.
- Medical registration with the Medical Board of AHPRA and Registered Advanced Trainee of the Australasian College of Physicians, Paediatrics & Child Health Division.
- Current provider and prescriber numbers
- An understanding of and commitment to provision of culturally informed services to the Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander community.
- Commitment to improve the health & wellbeing of Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander children & adolescents and their families and communities.
- Experience in Community paediatrics, child development and child protection services is highly desirable.
- Good written and verbal communication skills and the ability to communicate effectively with patients, carers and the Aboriginal community.
- The demonstrated ability to work effectively as part of a multi skilled team.
- Demonstrated high level of energy, enthusiasm, reliability, resilience and flexibility.
- Knowledge of and demonstrated understanding of and commitment to the principles of equity, diversity and occupational health and safety.
- Fully approved Covid 19 Vaccinations (including booster)

How to Apply

You will need a resume and a tailored cover letter outlining your skills, experience, and suitability for the role and send to employment@vahs.org.au

For any further information please contact Dr Mick Creati e:mick.creati@vahs.org.au

Closing dates for applications is Sunday 9pm, 10 September 2023.