



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

Therapeutic Family Violence Practitioner Preston

- A supportive workplace that will help you to develop your skills further
- Not for profit Salary Packaging available

About the Organisation

The Victorian Aboriginal Health Service (VAHS) was established in 1973 to address the specific medical needs of Victorian Aboriginal communities. 2023 marked a landmark year as VAHS proudly celebrated its 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 of the Therapeutic Practitioner is to develop and provide comprehensive -therapeutic intervention services to individuals and families who are affected by a range of presenting issues post family violence.

Key Selection Criteria

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

- The capability and engagement to understand the philosophy and principles of Aboriginal Community Control and transforming it into practice.
- Knowledge and understanding of trauma, child development and family dynamics.
- Knowledge of information sharing in the context of family violence provisions and the child information sharing scheme, aligning with the MARAM Framework
- Ability to conduct comprehensive screening and risk assessments and risk planning for family violence victim survivors.
- Experience with planning and leading evidence-based therapeutic programs for individuals and groups.
- Skills and experience relevant to Recommendation 209 requirements.
- Tertiary Qualifications in Social Work, Psychology, Counselling, or other relevant Human Services qualification and/or experience.
- Demonstrated commitment to Health, Safety and Wellbeing of self and others and Child Safety

How to Apply

Please send your application, which must include a cover letter, resume and responses to the selection criteria, via employment@vahs.org.au before Sunday 9pm, October 13th 2024.

Request for position description can be made via employment@vahs.org.au.