

Advance Trainee in Indigenous Child Health

Position: Full or Part Time – 12-month position
Location Preston

- Be part of a supportive & collaborative team
- Salary Packaging options available
- Paid Christmas closure
- 34 hour week

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 50 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 Opportunity

To provide Paediatric services to patients and secondary consultations to the multidisciplinary team and partner agencies. This position is accredited by the RACP for Advance Training in Community Child Health and is supervised by the Staff Paediatricians.

RACP Accreditation Details

This position is formally accredited by the Royal Australasian College of Physicians (RACP) as follows:

For Community Child Health:

- 12 months core Developmental & Behavioural Paediatrics
- 12 months community-based multidisciplinary paediatrics (concurrent requirement)
- 3 months Social Paediatrics (concurrent requirement)

For General Paediatrics:

- 6 months core Community/Developmental training
- 6 months non-core training (within the 12-month post)

Why VAHS?

- Be part of a respected Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation and work within the multidisciplinary Women's and Children's team
- Work in a supportive, culturally grounded multidisciplinary team
- Build clinical skills while making a real difference in health outcomes for Aboriginal children

Desirable:

- Exposure to working with Aboriginal Community in health setting
- Experience in Developmental and / or Community Paediatrics in an outpatient setting.
- Medical registration with the Medical Board of AHPRA
- Registered Advance Trainee of the Australasian College of Physicians and Child Health Division
- Accreditation across both Community Child Health and General Paediatrics under the RACP Advanced Training Program

How to Apply

Please send your application, which must include a cover letter and resume, via employment@vahs.org.au.

For further information on the role, please contact Dr Mick Creati mick.creati@vahs.org.au