

Forensic Case Worker

Australian Community Support Organisation • Sunshine VIC 3020

 Base pay
\$0 - \$0

 Work type
Full Time

 Contract type
Permanent

Job details

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 Category
Information Technology

 Occupation
Other

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 Job mode
Standard/Business hours

 Work Authorisation
**AUSTRALIAN CITIZEN /
PERMANENT RESIDENT**

Perks

PAID PARENTAL LEAVE

SALARY PACKAGING

RECOGNITION PROGRAM

Skills

PACKAGING

PROGRAM MANAGER

WRITTEN AND VERBAL

Full job description

At ACSO, we look for people who believe in second chances, who share our values and are passionate about supporting forensic clients to re integrate back into the community. If this sounds like you, read on!

About Us

The Australian Community Support Organisation (ACSO) is a vibrant, values driven NFP, focused on partnering with Government and the community to co-design services that create real social change. We are an organisation with a bold vision to create a safe and inclusive community where prison truly is the last resort. Our purpose is to strengthen the wellbeing of our communities by advocating for and delivering services which divert people away from the justice system.

The Australian Community Support Organisation recognises the right to a safe and inclusive service without bias. ACSO is committed to the equitable treatment of its participants, employees and partners. We believe in humanity and celebrating the diverse voices of our community through leadership, practice and policy design, to honour and embrace diverse traditions, cultures

and experiences of those we support and work alongside.

About the role

Forensic Case Workers will be responsible for delivering pre- and post- release support to their allocated participants and will work intensively with prisons, courts and where applicable, with community corrections to successfully reintegrate participants. The Forensic Case Worker will be responsible for record keeping (including data entry and case-noting) and providing assertive outreach and interventions to at-risk and vulnerable cohorts.

About the program

To learn more about this program, check out the program summary under the 'job attachments' tab.

What we're looking for

- Minimum of 2 years' relevant or equivalent experience
- The ability to enter and work in a prison environment
- Experience developing support plans and goal attainment strategies
- Confidence and ability to build positive relationships and communicate with people of diverse backgrounds and abilities
- Knowledge and competency in casework practices
- Demonstrated capacity to work flexibly, possess the ability to manage competing demands, and able to effectively set boundaries and limits where required
- An extensive background working with Aboriginal, or Torres Strait Islander people will be highly regarded
- Excellent written and verbal communications skills

What ACSO can offer you

- Full time, permanent position available. Sunshine location!
- \$72,361 base salary + 9.5% superannuation (\$80k approx. package) + NFP salary packaging options (more after tax \$ in your pocket!)
- Paid parental leave
- 17.5% annual leave loading
- Learning and development opportunities
- Wellbeing initiatives such as free flu vaccines, Employee Assistance Program and Reward and Recognition Program
- Flexible working arrangements

To apply

To apply and view the position description (PD), please visit our careers website and provide a copy of your resume, a brief covering letter and a document outlining responses to the selection criteria found in the PD.

Please note, as ACSO is an NDIS provider, the successful candidate must hold an NDIS Worker Screening Check Clearance before they commence employment in this position.

Please call Tiani Megens, ReStart Program Manager, on 0427 612 708 to learn

more about this position.

The Australian Community Support Organisation embraces diversity within its workforce and encourages applications from appropriately qualified and skilled people regardless of their background. All suitable applicants for this role will be considered regardless of age, ability, race, gender expression, sex, cultural background, spiritual beliefs or lived experience.

ACSO proudly acknowledges Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people as Australia's first peoples and pay respect to their rich culture, lores, customs and elders past and present. We strongly embrace the spirit of reconciliation and continue working towards ensuring an equal voice of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders, particularly those who have been touched by the justice system.