


## Support Worker - Community Access - Eastern Suburbs

Nextt Group • Camberwell VIC 3124

 Base pay  
\$0 - \$0

 Work type  
Full Time

 Contract type  
Not provided

### Full job description

#### The Company:

At Nextt, we have been making a difference for more than 20 years by supporting people with disability and/or mental health challenges to achieve their goals and to live an independent life.

We employ over 1800 staff and services across NSW, VIC, QLD and SA, we provide quality, person-centred support to more than 1500 clients each year.

Join our team and support our clients to get more out of life!

#### The Role:

Nextt has exciting opportunities for Support Worker with extensive knowledge in Schizophrenia, ABI, depression and other mental health issues, cerebral palsy across various Eastern and South Eastern suburbs in Melbourne including:

- Sandringham
- Mount Waverley
- Endeavour Hills
- Mount Evelyn
- Highett
- Chirnside Park
- Glen Iris
- Mooroolbark
- Hawthorn East
- Blackburn
- Lower Templestowe

There is an emphasis on Skill and Capacity Building to encourage independence and confidence. As a support worker, you will

- Assist participants with skills of developing community activities


### Job details

 Date posted  
**06 Jul 2021**

 Expired On  
**07 Jul 2021**

 Category  
**Social Work & Community Services**

 Occupation  
**Aged & Disability Support**

 Base pay  
**\$0 - \$0**

 Work type  
**Full Time**

 Job mode  
**Permanent**

 Industry  
**HUMAN RESOURCE**

 Sector  
**NOT FOR PROFIT / CHARITY**

 Company size  
**11 to 50**

- Provide support with trauma, anxiety and build confidence in community & social engagement
- 1:1 and 2:1 Community assess to provide experiences to improve social skills and confidence
- Ensure all duties and tasks are completed in accordance with the support plan
- Ensure all incidents and hazards are reported in timely manner

Collaboration and a creative approach are encouraged so that participants reach their goals and workers have the opportunity to contribute to the development of programs.. The participant group includes all ages, diverse culture, CALD background, LGBTIQ+, diverse genders and circumstances so new workers can grow and learn. The hours of work vary (minimum 2 hours) and include weekday shifts, evening and weekend shifts. Penalty rates apply on weekends, Public Holidays, after 8pm and after 12 pm. This is an opportunity to work with other professionals, learn and advance your career.

**Essential Criteria:**

- A minimum of Cert III in Mental Health/ Disability/ Community Services or above with minimum of 1-2 years of industry experience
- Current First Aid and CPR Certificate
- Knowledge in Complex Mental Health, Social anxiety, Mood affective disorders, Schizophrenia, Challenging physical and verbal aggression & behaviours, Trauma, Paranoia Depression and other Mental Health issues and Intellectual Disability, ASD, cerebral palsy
- Manual Handling
- NDIS Worker Screening Check (or willing to obtain)
- Working with Children Check
- Valid Full drivers licence and reliable transport
- Passion and commitment to provide services for those with a disability or mental illness
- Mobile phone with internet access
- The right to work in Australia
- Able to provide 100 points of ID
- Starting hourly payrate Schedule B Level 2.1

**Working with us:**

- Nextt is a national company with employment opportunities across all our offices
- Nextt is a genuinely diverse, supportive workplace where your unique skills and professional contribution will be appreciated and valued
- We value the lived experiences of our employees
- Workplace diversity is highly valued at Nextt and we recognize a diverse workforce is beneficial for our employees and those who utilize our services

**Please apply immediately should you be interested!**

**NOTE: Only suitable candidates will be contacted**