

# POSITION DESCRIPTION

Position title	Function/Department
Medical Officer (GP)	Clinical Services
Classification	Employment type
Negotiable, in accordance with	Two-part time positions, negotiable hours.
qualifications and experience.	
Reports to	Location
Health Program Manager	105 Balaclava Road, Earlville QLD
No. of direct reports	Date/Revision date
Nil	01/09/2024
REMUNERATION	Base hourly rate \$180.00
	Casual loading 25% \$45.00 casual rate \$225.00
	Superannuation 11%
	Salary packaging up to \$15,090.00 per Apr-Mar
	(\$30k grossed up)

### **Position summary**

Specialising in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health, this role offers the opportunity to use a diverse range of skills and knowledge. With high presentations of chronic illness, Medical Officers (GPs) need to be both sensitive and understanding, supporting patients from Cape York, NPA and the Torres Strait region to come in for treatment and receive ongoing services as needed. The role includes working within a team of GPs, Registered Nurses, Nurse Practitioners, Aboriginal Health Practitioners/ Workers, Midwives, Allied Health professionals, visiting Medical Specialists and Administration staff.

### **Environment**

Mookai Rosie Bi-Bayan (Mookai Rosie) is an Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Service, offering integrated and co-located primary care services to clients of Cape York, NPA and the Torres Strait region. This position is situated within Mookai Rosie's Earlville clinic (Mookai Family Health) and plays a pivotal role in the multidisciplinary health team and provision of our wraparound model of care. The team is comprised of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Workers and Practitioners, Midwives, Nurses, a Social and Emotional Wellbeing team, Clinical Educator, Clinical Facilitator and Liaison Officers.

#### **Purpose**

This position is responsible for the provision of medical services, health surveillance, maintenance, and promotion to Mookai Rosie clients. This position will provide comprehensive and holistic healthcare to individuals and families that present to our service in accordance with the Mookai Rosie strategic, governance and accreditation frameworks. This includes care coordination and referrals.

### Scope

The position provides support within Mookai Rosie' service model by addressing the health needs of individuals and families engaging with our health programs. Significant liaison and coordination

with multidisciplinary teams is required, as is maintaining regular contact with internal and external health professionals, service providers and other stakeholders to ensure effective outcomes for clients.

# **Essential qualifications and experience**

## **Qualifications and registrations**

- 1. Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery.
- 2. Registration with the Medical Board of Queensland.
- 3. Current registration with the Australian Health Practitioners Regulation Agency.
- 4. FRACGP or ACRRM.

## **Experience**

- Demonstrated experience working in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health.
- Regional and remote healthcare experience is essential.

### **Essential attributes**

- 1. Ability to perform comprehensive health assessments and plan, implement and evaluate clinical care and primary health care strategies.
- 2. Knowledge, experience and understanding of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people's determinants of health.
- 3. Knowledge and understanding of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander societies and cultures from an historical and contemporary perspective, including the ability to communicate effectively and sensitively with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.
- 4. Commitment to work within the principles of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander community control including willingness to develop the leadership, clinical skills, and confidence of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health workforce.
- 5. Well-developed people skills with the ability to communicate effectively with internal and external stakeholders.
- 6. Demonstrated ability to work both independently, and collaboratively, in a multi-disciplinary team environment.
- 7. Knowledge and understanding of quality improvement processes and RACGP Standards.
- 8. Evidence of vaccination against measles, mumps, rubella, varicella, pertussis, hepatitis B, and two COVID-19 vaccinations plus at least one booster must be sighted by the organisation before employment is confirmed.
- 9. Possess (or be willing to obtain) a Positive Notice Blue Card for employment.
- 10. "C" Class QLD Driver's Licence, with no restrictions.
- 11. Senior First Aid and CPR/BLS.

### Selection criteria

- 1. Your resume, including a comprehensive employment history, qualifications, and the contact details for at least two contemporary referees.
- 2. A supporting cover letter of no more than two pages, outlining your experience, skills, and knowledge relevant to the advertised role. Your written response must reflect the competencies outlined in the essential attributes.