

Anglicare is a not-for-profit organisation focused on helping disadvantaged families, children, youth and communities throughout regional NSW and the ACT. We strongly support equal employment opportunities and encourage applications from Indigenous people.

Senior Carer Practitioner

Aboriginal Position

Wagga Wagga

(Part Time)

Wanggaay Koori Out-of-Home Care (OOHC) Service is a partnership between Anglicare and Riverina Medical and Dental and Dental Aboriginal Corp (RIVMED). This service provides culturally appropriate OOHC case management to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children, young people and their carers.

The core mission of Anglicare (NSW South, West & ACT) is to break the cycle of intergenerational poverty for children, young people and families. We have a particular focus on serving vulnerable communities in the ACT and regional, rural NSW.

Anglicare is seeking a Senior Carer Practitioner who is passionate about improving the lives of vulnerable children and young people. This new position is part of the wider team of Senior Carer Practitioners across our foster care services. The Senior Carer Practitioner will play a vital role in making sure children and young people have the opportunity to grow in loving and committed foster families.

The Senior Carer Practitioner will work closely with the Foster Care Team and Carers to support high quality placements for children and young people. You will have a current comprehensive understanding of OOHC services; particular skills in family and foster carer assessments; and the capacity to provide guidance regarding best practice placement planning outcomes for children and young people in foster care.

Tertiary qualifications in social work, psychology or a related discipline (or having already substantially commenced these qualifications) are mandatory, as well as a desired five years' experience working with children, young people, their families and carers preferably in out of home care (minimum 3 years' experience). A valid driver's license is also required.

The salary is negotiable commensurate with experience and qualifications. A minimum commencing salary of \$70,701 (pro-rata), plus 9.5% employer superannuation guarantee. Generous salary packaging benefits are available under Anglicare's PBI status. Anglicare also offers other benefits including additional personal leave and paid parental leave.

Applications are sought from Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People pursuant to Section 14 of the Anti-Discrimination Act 1977 NSW.

Applicants will be required to undertake the psychometric profiling instrument - SafeSelectTM. Applicants must obtain a Working With Children clearance through the Office of the Children's Guardian (NSW) and undergo a National Criminal History Check prior to an offer of employment.

The Position Description, including Selection Criteria and the Application Form can be obtained from Anglicare's website www.anglicare.com.au/about-us/careers

For all enquiries, please contact Brad Addison on (02) 6937 1555 or email: brad.addison@anglicare.com.au

If you want to join the Anglicare team, please send your written application addressing the Selection Criteria outlined in the position description to the email address listed above by COB Friday 25th May 2018