

## Alcohol & Other Drug Central Intake Practitioner 1EFT (38 hours per week) Permanent Position

Job Reference No: VAC0375

- **Positive team culture**
- **Access to ADO once per month**
- **2 types of Salary Packaging Available**

Join our AOD team providing services in the Bayside catchment funded through the State-wide AOD recommissioning of services. This role facilitates and supports clients, families and significant others wanting to access AOD services through an initial screen, a comprehensive assessment, the development of an initial treatment plan, interim support while waiting service access, and negotiation with providers re access. The work will be phone based and face to face as required. This is a crucial role in the successful functioning of the AOD service system.

To be suitable for the role you will possess the following:

- **Relevant tertiary qualifications in a health related area (e.g. Social Work, Counselling, and Psychology). Applications from peer workers with equivalent qualifications will be highly regarded.**
- **Demonstrated experience and skill in the provision of assessment, risk management, and treatment planning within the AOD treatment system.**
- **Skills and experience in working with people who experience dual diagnosis**
- **Demonstrated knowledge of the AOD service system and the range of treatment options**
- **Understanding of harm minimisation including harm reduction**

### Who We Are

Star Health works in partnership with people and communities to promote and improve equity, health and wellbeing by delivering innovative client-directed services that take into account the context of the individual and the community, and championing prevention and change to address the structural reasons for health inequity.

Applicants **must address the key selection criteria within the covering letter** and complete our application form directly via our website <http://www.starhealth.org.au/careers/current-vacancies/>

For further information about any of the roles, please contact Kristen Timmins on 03 9525 1300 or email: [ktimmins@starhealth.org.au](mailto:ktimmins@starhealth.org.au)

**Closing Date: Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> November, 2017 @ 5pm**