



Specialist Disability Practitioner and Educator

Position overview

- **Mentor Case Managers in the community to develop disability expertise.**
- **Role involves regular travel in the Geelong and Ballarat districts as well as to our Melbourne-based office (car provided).**
- **4 days per week (0.8 EFT) for six months.**
- **Generous salary packaging and annual leave loading.**

About VACRO

VACRO is a non-government, non-denominational organisation working with people in contact with the justice system and their families. Founded in 1872 (as the Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society of Victoria), VACRO works closely with government and non-profit organisations.

The opportunity

This exciting project needs your disability sector know-how coupled with your wealth of experience working with clients with a range of disabilities including intellectual disability and acquired brain injury.

Working collaboratively with the ReConnect Program Manager, you will build the capacity of our passionate outreach team to improve outcomes for forensic clients with a range of disabilities. The focus is to develop our field workers' specialist disability case management skills and build connections with disability networks to facilitate referrals. In addition, you will work as a specialist disability subject matter expert to develop and co-facilitate a training program for case managers.

Key selection criteria

- Tertiary qualifications in Social Work, Psychology, Human Services or other relevant field.
- Certificate IV in Workplace Training and Assessment is highly regarded.
- Knowledge of best practice approaches for working with individuals with a disability, particularly those with an acquired brain injury or intellectual disability.
- Case management experience with complex clients with a range of disabilities.
- Peer support, mentoring or coaching experience.
- Solid experience working with networks within the disability sector and NDIS.
- Experience in training program design and delivery is highly regarded.

What we offer

VACRO is an equal opportunity employer, dedicated to staff wellbeing. We provide extensive on-boarding training and ongoing professional development for staff, amongst other benefits. This role is classified at Level 5 (Pay Point depending on qualifications and experience) SCHADS 2010 Award plus generous salary packaging.

How to apply

The position description is available on our website at www.vacro.org.au under "Careers". In your application, please address the key selection criteria in this advertisement and include a current Resume. Direct any enquiries or forward your application to recruitment@vacro.org.au by 9.00am on Monday 30 March.