



## POSITION DESCRIPTION OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST

<b>Level &amp; Salary Range</b>	Professional Level 2 or 3 (Dependent on qualifications and experience)
<b>Employment Type</b>	Ongoing: Full-time or Part Time
<b>Reports to</b>	Allied Health Manager and Team Leaders
<b>Purpose of the Position</b> To plan, deliver and evaluate person-centred Occupational Therapy services for adult clients that deliver choice and control to NDIS and other participants and meet their clinical goals.	
<b>Tasks and Responsibilities</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Working in a culturally diverse environment, provide contemporary, evidence-based Occupational Therapy services, including assessment, individualised treatment planning and evaluation for adolescents and adults presenting with a range of conditions, syndromes, and mental health concerns</li> <li>Support with transition and ongoing treatment planning for clients with disability discharged from hospital into medium term accommodation.</li> <li>Provide independent, specialist and clinical input into treatment planning, development, and delivery of core business</li> <li>Ensure billable Key Performance Indicators (KPI's) are met each month</li> <li>Maintain professional internal and external stakeholder communication</li> <li>Contribute to the development of individual and group programs within Carpentaria Therapy Services</li> <li>Ability to implement WHS, Risk Management and Quality assurance requirements</li> <li>Attendance and contributions to team and organisational meetings</li> <li>Adherence to Australian Health Practitioners Registration Authority (AHPRA) and Carpentaria policies and procedures</li> </ul>	
<b>Essential Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Undergraduate (or postgraduate) qualifications in Occupational Therapy</li> <li>Registration with the Australian Health Practitioners Regulation Agency (AHPRA)</li> <li>Relevant experience working as an Occupational Therapist or graduate experience with having completed a relevant placement</li> <li>Demonstrated undergraduate clinical experience in best practice management of Adult Occupational Therapy, Assessment Therapy, assistive technology prescription and training environmental modification.</li> <li>Experience working with Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait islander and Culturally and Linguistically Diverse (CALD) clients and their families</li> <li>Excellent interpersonal, verbal, and written communication skills</li> <li>Commitment to working with people with and supporting people with a disability</li> <li>Ability to work as part of a team and independently</li> <li>Current Ochre Card, Criminal History Check, NDIS Worker Screening Clearance, First Aid &amp; CPR Certificate, Covid 19 Vaccination and NT Drivers Licence</li> </ul>	
<b>Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Knowledge and expertise in written equipment prescription under NDIS</li> <li>Experience working within disability service provider</li> <li>Strong work ethic, reliable and effective time management and organisational skills</li> <li>Interest in providing clinical supervision and mentoring junior clinicians</li> </ul>	
<b>Values and Behaviours Required</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Able to build rapport with clients, families/guardians, and key partners</li> <li>Collaboration with key stakeholders</li> <li>Committed to disability awareness and inclusivity</li> <li>Embody Carpentaria's Values and Principles of Good Practice through a human rights based approach</li> </ul>	

Authorised by the CEO:

Date:

22/06/2022