

JOB DESCRIPTION

TITLE OF POSITION	Aboriginal Cultural Worker
CLASSIFICATION LEVEL	Level 4 (Salary Packaging Available)
PROGRAM	Foster Care Services

OVERVIEW

Lutheran Care (LC) provides community services on behalf of the Lutheran Church in South Australia and Northern Territory through a range of programs. We support communities through responding to the needs of individuals and families, community development, learning opportunities, accommodation and support. Current programs include emergency relief, financial counselling, family support and education, foster care, housing and family shelter, and refugee services. LC is committed to reducing barriers encouraging inclusion and participation in the community of people with a disability, people of all ages, genders, Lesbian, Gay, Bi-Sexual, Transgender, Intersex and Queer (LGBTIQ) people, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander (ATSI) people and people from Culturally and Linguistically Diverse (CALD) backgrounds.

Our Foster Care Services (FCS) is funded through the Department for Child Protection (DCP) to provide family based foster care services in Metropolitan Adelaide, the Barossa, Adelaide Hills, Feurieu Peninsular and Murray Mallee regions.

ROLE SUMMARY

The Aboriginal Cultural Worker works as part of Foster Care Services team to provide and support culturally inclusive placements for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children and young people in family based care.

REPORTING RELATIONSHIPS AND ACCOUNTABILITY

The Aboriginal Cultural Worker reports directly to the Operations Manager, Foster Care Services and will work collaboratively with leadership and staff to ensure culturally responsive placements.

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