



Support Worker Property Care Missiondale (Part-time 4 days per week)

Launceston City Mission is seeking a Support Worker Property Care person to support residents in our Missiondale Therapeutic Community in Evandale. This person will support clients to undertake minor property care and learn basic skills to take back to life after Missiondale. Having worked in this area previously is desirable however if you have good boundaries, initiative and great communication skills, we encourage you to apply.

Selection Criteria:

Essential Qualifications/Experience:

- Minimum Cert III in Community Services or similar.
- Demonstrable experience in property maintenance, or facilities management, or gardening or landscaping or similar.
- Understanding and evidence of safe workplace practices.
- Workplace level 2 First Aid certificate or willingness to obtain.
- Ability to work with and impart skills to a diverse team including those from disadvantaged and vulnerable backgrounds.
- Ability to maintain positive professional relationships with clients and staff.
- Highly developed communication skills.
- Good computer skills and knowledge of relevant software, including MS Office.
- Ability to handle pressure.
- Current drivers' licence.
- National Police Check is required for all roles at LCM.
- Working with Vulnerable People Check, or willingness to obtain.

Desirable:

- Experience or demonstrated capacity to work in an organisation adopting a Christian ethos.
- A good understanding of the causes of homelessness and addiction related issues:
 - Knowledge of drugs and their effects;
 - Knowledge of symptoms of intoxication and withdrawal;
 - Knowledge and experience in conducting alcohol and other drug assessments, brief interventions, and other health interventions (as appropriate);
 - Knowledge of motivational interview techniques;
 - Knowledge of relapse prevention strategies.
- Success in building and maintaining positive key stakeholder relationships.
- Demonstrated time management skills and the ability to prioritise work.
- Attention to detail and problem-solving skills.
- Positive history of following organisational Policy & Procedures.
- Demonstrated history of setting and applying good professional boundaries.

The position requires the employee to develop working relationships with management, peers, and other functional areas within the organisation.



The Support Worker Property Care role is responsible for supporting and training clients in basic gardening and minor property maintenance skills (e.g., lawnmowing). They will contribute to assisting clients to develop skills that will encourage improvement of basic skills and self-esteem. Working with the Skills Development team, they will deliver basic WHS training and supervise safe completion of basic tasks. This role reports directly to the Team Leader Admin and Skills Development but will also liaise closely with the Maintenance and Logistics Coordinator. They will demonstrate high levels of communication, collaboration, and administration to achieve this.

This is a Part time position and salary will be based on the Social, Community, Home Care and Disability Services Industry Award 2010 [MA000100].

If you have a passion to work as part of a friendly team in a caring, compassionate environment, knowing that our success will be directed towards community services, individuals at risk of homelessness and those struggling with dependency related problems, we encourage you to apply.

Please send your written application addressing the selection criteria and your ability to effectively perform the primary tasks above to the Human Resource Manager, Launceston City Mission, PO Box 168, Launceston, or upload it to the SEEK website.

A full job description is available by phoning 6335 3000 during office hours or by emailing office@citymission.org.au or via our website – www.citymission.org.au/support-us/work-with-us

Applications close on Monday 12th September 2022, at 9am.