



## POSITION DESCRIPTION

Position Title	REPORTER, NEWS	Position No.	50052349
Team	[Regional & Local]	Classification	[Content Maker]
Department	Regional Rural & Emergency	Schedule Roster Cycle	[Schedule B] [2 Week Rostered]
Location	Geraldton	Band / Level	[Band 3-4]
Reports to	CHIEF OF STAFF, GERALDTON 30000392	HR Endorsement	16/04/2021
Purpose			

Create news content across all platforms that aligns with ABC strategy and supports the achievement of Regional & Local's objectives.

### Key Accountabilities

- Under routine direction of the Chief of Staff, and in collaboration with colleagues, create content for multiple platforms to engage local and national audiences.
- Produce and present news bulletins, Q&A's, interviews and packages across all platforms, including breaking stories.
- Contribute to the implementation of the Local Emergency Coverage plan and communicate with relevant stakeholders as required.
- In consultation with colleagues, identify and develop local content that can be shared with other content teams in R&L and across the ABC on multiple platforms.
- Actively promote the ABC values and apply all relevant workplace policies and guidelines.
- Cooperate with any reasonable instruction, procedure or policy relating to safety and take reasonable care for your own safety and that of other people who may be affected by your conduct while at work. Additional WHS responsibilities apply to Managers and Supervisors, Team Directors, and other Officers.

### Key Capabilities/Qualifications/Experience

1. Tertiary qualifications in journalism or demonstrated equivalent skills, knowledge and experience.
2. Demonstrated experience in delivering breaking and original content for multiple platforms.
3. Proficient editorial skills including the ability to source and analyse information and exercise reliable judgement.
4. Demonstrated understanding of the issues that affect and interest the local audience.
5. Demonstrated understanding and passion to source and create authentic content which represents the broad diversity of the Australian community, including stories that reflect a range of cultural and linguistic backgrounds and Indigenous communities where editorially relevant.
6. **ABC Principles:** Demonstrated commitment to the ABC Principles of We are ABC, Straight Talking, People Focused, Accountable and Open & Transparent.
7. **ABC Policies:** Understanding of the relevance and scope of ABC policies and the ABC Principles and a commitment to adhere to these; particularly in relation to complying with health, safety and wellbeing requirements in the workplace and acting in accordance with the ABC Principles.
8. **Diversity and Inclusion:** Ability to communicate effectively and build relationships with people from a range of diverse backgrounds.

### Special Requirements

9. Possession of a current and valid Driver's Licence is essential.

