



# **LECTURER – PARAMEDICINE**

DEPARTMENT/UNIT

Department of Community Emergency Health and Paramedic

**Practice** 

FACULTY/DIVISION Faculty of Medicine Nursing and Health Sciences

CLASSIFICATION Level B

WORK LOCATION Peninsula and Notting Hill campus

## **ORGANISATIONAL CONTEXT**

Everyone needs a platform to launch a satisfying career. At Monash, we give you the space and support to take your career in all kinds of exciting new directions. You'll have access to quality research, infrastructure and learning facilities, opportunities to collaborate internationally, as well as the grants you'll need to publish your work. We're a university full of energetic and enthusiastic minds, driven to challenge what's expected, expand what we know, and learn from other inspiring, empowering thinkers. Discover more at www.monash.edu.

The **Faculty of Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences**, is the largest faculty at Monash University, and offers the most comprehensive suite of professional health training in Victoria. We consistently rank in the top 40 universities worldwide for clinical, pre-clinical and health sciences.

We want to improve the human condition. That is our vision - it has no expiration date. Through academic health centres, other translational models and by educating the healthcare workforce of the future, our staff, students and alumni directly improve quality of life.

Setting the global health care agenda, the Faculty aspires to lead in all areas of research activity and influence local, national and international policy to improve health and social outcomes and health inequalities. We've made a major impact in the world of medical research and become globally recognised for our quality education of over 41,000 doctors, nurses, and allied health professionals.

We are ambitious and aim to maintain our position as a leading international medical research university. We're recognised for the breadth and depth of our research, for our commitment to translational research, for the quality and scale of our research capability, and as a thriving biotechnology hub.

To learn more about the faculty, please visit monash.edu/medicine.

The **School of Primary and Allied Health Care** is a leader in primary care research, teaching and services. Situated at the Clayton satellite campus, with Departments at Peninsula and Caulfield campuses, the School incorporates several departments, centres, units, and course streams. Our research focuses on diverse issues relevant to primary health care and general practice, reflecting the variety of expertise amongst the academic team of social scientists, health educators and medical and allied health practitioners. A strong emphasis on finding interdisciplinary solutions to health problems flows through to units within the School's courses in which students gain an understanding of how they can work with other primary healthcare professions.

For more information about us and the work we so, please visit <a href="http://www.med.monash.edu.au/sphc/">http://www.med.monash.edu.au/sphc/</a>.

The **Department of Community Emergency Health and Paramedic Practice (DCEHPP)** provides undergraduate and postgraduate courses to students currently working in or planning employment in out-of-hospital and community-based emergency health settings. The core business of DCEHPP is to:

- Provide education and training services to meet the needs of ambulance services and of private patient transport services in Australia and internationally
- Provide specialist postgraduate education programs for paramedics from Australia and overseas as well as other health professionals in the field of community-based emergency health
- Undertake research in the field of community-based emergency health and paramedic practice

## **POSITION PURPOSE**

The Lecturer is expected to make contributions to the teaching and research effort of the University and to carry out activities to develop and maintain scholarly research and/or professional activities relevant to the profession or discipline. This position will contribute to the development and delivery of postgraduate education to students studying into the Master of Specialist Paramedic Practice by contributing an area of expertise to these programs and working with other subject matter experts for the effective delivery of this program. This position will focus on the development and delivery of distance education programs as well as contribute to the strategic research direction of this area.

**Reporting Line:** The position reports to Head, Department of Community Emergency Health and Paramedic Practice.

Supervisory Responsibilities: Not applicable

Financial Delegation: Not applicable

Budget Responsibilities: Not applicable

# **KEY RESPONSIBILITIES**

Specific duties required of a Level B academic may include:

- 1. The conduct of tutorials, practical classes, demonstrations, workshops, student field excursions, clinical sessions and/or studio sessions
- 2. Initiation and development of subject material
- 3. Acting as subject coordinators; the preparation and delivery of lectures and seminars
- 4. Supervision of the program of study of honours students or of postgraduate students engaged in course work
- 5. Supervision of major honours or postgraduate research projects
- **6.** The conduct of research
- 7. Involvement in professional activity
- 8. Development of course material with appropriate advice from and support of more senior staff
- 9. Marking and assessment
- 10. Consultation with students
- **11.** A range of administrative functions the majority of which are connected with the subjects in which the academic teaches
- 12. Attendance at departmental, school and/or faculty meetings and/or membership of a number of committees

### **KEY SELECTION CRITERIA**

#### **Education/Qualifications**

- 1. The appointee will have:
  - A doctoral or masters qualification in the relevant discipline area or equivalent accreditation and standing

#### **Knowledge and Skills**

- 2. Possess a high-level of interpersonal skills and demonstrated ability to work independently and as part of a team across both the education and service sectors
- **3.** Demonstrated statistical analysis and manuscript preparation skills; including developing a solid track record of refereed research publications
- **4.** Ability to work positively and cooperatively with students, internal and external teams and external organisations
- 5. Demonstrated strong record of teaching experience in a tertiary environment
- 6. Demonstrated ability to motivate, actively engage and educate a given audience
- 7. Demonstrated experience in curriculum and subject material development
- 8. Proven ability, commitment and passion for engaging in scholarly and research activities
- 9. A demonstrated capacity to work in a collegiate manner with other staff in the workplace

### OTHER JOB RELATED INFORMATION

- Travel to other campuses of the University may be required
- There may be a requirement to work additional hours from time to time
- There may be peak periods of work during which taking of leave may be restricted
- A current satisfactory Working With Children Check is required

# **LEGAL COMPLIANCE**

Ensure you are aware of and adhere to legislation and University policy relevant to the duties undertaken, including: Equal Employment Opportunity, supporting equity and fairness; Occupational Health and Safety, supporting a safe workplace; Conflict of Interest (including Conflict of Interest in Research); Paid Outside Work; Privacy; Research Conduct; and Staff/Student Relationships.