

POSITION

DESCRIPTION

Position Title Research Fellow

Classification Level B

School/Division UWA Medical School

Centre/Section Centre for Aboriginal Medical and Dental Health

Supervisor Title Senior Lecturer

Supervisor Position Number 308163

Position Number 320771

Your work area

UWA's Medical School brings together the brightest students, experienced clinicians and committed researchers to unlock the greatest health challenges of our day. Celebrating 60 years in 2017, the Medical School is an infinite source of teaching and learning for individuals who share our goal of delivering better health outcomes today and into the future.

The Centre of Aboriginal Medical and Dental Health (CAMDH) was established to promote the concept of holistic health care and cultural security in relation to Aboriginal health and health care practice, research and learning.

Reporting structure

Reports to: Senior Lecturer

Your role

As the appointee, you will work closely with the CAMDH Aboriginal Ageing Well Research team under the broad direction of the Research Lead. You will provide research support across Aboriginal health research projects and a Centre for Research Excellence to design and progress research initiatives, attract grant funding, and identify and support research partnerships, post graduate students and research staff.

Your key responsibilities

Make contributions to the strategic planning and direction of the research team.

Co-design research with the team and other community and service stakeholders.

Build and sustain community, organisational, and institutional research partnerships.

Write research papers, grant submissions and ethics applications.

Write/co-author research papers for submission to peer reviewed journals.

Identify and deliver ongoing capacity building opportunities for the Aboriginal and research community and relevant services.

Attract and support post graduate students and research staff members.

Assist with translational research activities.

Administrative tasks as required.

Maintain clear and detailed records.

Other duties as required

Your specific work capabilities (selection criteria)

PhD or Masters in a health-related field.

Substantial experience in health-related research. Experience in the Aboriginal health research field is desirable.

Demonstrated ability to efficiently co-author high quality research papers.

Considerable experience in supervising and mentoring staff and/or students with the ability to encourage and foster the work of others.

Highly developed written and verbal communication skills

Excellent organisational skills with the demonstrated ability to set priorities and to meet deadlines

Ability to work independently, show initiative, problem solve and work productively as part of a culturally inclusive and diverse research team

Special requirements (selection criteria)

Current "C" class driver's licence

Compliance

Ensure you are aware of and comply with legislation and University policy relevant to the duties undertaken, including:

The University's Code of Conduct https://hr.uwa.edu.au/policies/policies/conduct/code/conduct Inclusion and Diversity web.uwa.edu.au/inclusion-diversity

Safety, health and wellbeing safety.uwa.edu.au/