

Night Patrol Officer

OUR VISION

To strengthen our region through fostering development, growth, and social wellbeing "Moving Forward Together"

POSITION DESCRIPTION

REPORTS TO	Night Patrol Team Leader	CLASSIFICATION & HOURS	Level 1 Evening hours vary pending community
DIVISION	Community Safety	LOCATION	Community Based

JOB PURPOSE

This position is required to work as part of a team to assist all members of the community that maybe at risk of harming or being harmed, providing alternative solutions to ensure their safety and well-being.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1. Deliver culturally appropriate assistance to people at risk or either causing harm or being harmed.
- 2. Conduct patrols in the community and surrounding area to ensure the safety and well-being of all residents is maintained.
- 3. Establish good relationships with community members to enable engagement.
- 4. Ensure any persons at risk are relocated to a safe environment.
- 5. Work as a team to prevent anti-social, destructive and illegal behaviours.
- 6. Encourage the diversion of intoxicated people away from unnecessary adverse contact with the criminal justice system.
- 7. Provide advice, information or referrals to persons requiring further assistance.
- 8. Liaise and work with the Local Police Force on issues regarding criminal activity and safety.
- 9. Work in partnership with schools, health clinics, sobering up shelters, safe houses, women's refuges and other services in community.
- 10. Maintain a safe staff working environment.
- 11. Ensure that proper Work Health & Safety regulations set by Council are adhered to.
- 12. Carry out any other duties as directed by the Night Patrol Team Leader.

Selection Criteria

EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Certificate III in Community Safety (essential or ability to obtain)
- 2. A current First Aid Certificate (essential)

EXPERIENCE & KNOWLEDGE REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Ability to work with limited supervision and direction.
- 2. Personal integrity.
- 3. Good interpersonal skills and friendly disposition.
- 4. A high level of fitness and positive attitude toward health and well-being.
- 5. Relevant industry knowledge in the field of Night Patrol Services.
- 6. Well-developed communication and negotiation skills and the ability to be sensitive.
- 7. Ability to maintain client confidentiality.
- 8. A working knowledge of WHS regulations.
- 9. Previous experience in a similar role.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Criminal History Check (recent within 3 months)
- A current Working With Children's Card.
 A current Drivers Licence

ACKNOWEDGEMENT				
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