



Counsellor – Carer Counselling Service

- Be part of a new phone and online counselling service for carers
- Use your therapeutic counselling and person-centred skills
- Based in Lewisham - walking distance from train station

About Us

CatholicCare Sydney is the official social services agency of the Catholic Church in the Archdiocese of Sydney. We are a leading not-for-profit agency providing care and support to people in Sydney across a wide range of social services: Children and families, relationships, ageing, disability, employment, mental health and youth programs.

About the Role

The Counsellor will provide empathic, evidence-based and person-centred telephone and online counselling to carers who are experiencing stress, anxiety, depression or low mood.

The role is full-time, but a minimum of 7 shifts per fortnight may be considered. Shifts are between 8am – 9pm, Monday to Friday.

About You

Critical to this role are your demonstrated skills in providing over-the-phone or online counselling and crisis support to clients.

You will have knowledge of current Child Protection practice, Domestic Violence best practice and suicide protocols.

You will be an excellent communicator and team-player and be able and willing to work flexibly and adapt to a changing environment.

While experience working with individuals caring for people with a disability, dementia and/or mental health concerns is not essential, it will be highly regarded.

If you have tertiary qualifications in Counselling, Level 2 membership of the Australian Counselling Association or PACFA membership, and fit the above description, then we'd love to hear from you!

View the position description and selection criteria at [Jobs at CatholicCare](#).

What Can We Offer You?

- An opportunity to be part of a new and exciting initiative
- Generous leave entitlements such as paid parental leave and study leave

- An Employee Assistance Program – this is a free and confidential counselling service
- Access to salary packaging – this allows you to have a proportion of your income tax-free and may increase your take-home pay.

How to apply

After reviewing the selection criteria, please email jobs@catholiccare.org the following:

- a brief letter addressing each of the selection criteria, describing how your skills, work experience, qualifications/training and personal attributes match each selection criterion; and
- a brief resume.

(Applications that do not address the selection criteria or provide a resume only may not be considered).

Applications close 4.00 pm on 3 July 2019

Need more information?

Contact Nichola Marsonet, Executive Manager on 9509 1111 or 0409 331 964.

CatholicCare requires the preferred applicant to undertake a National Criminal History Record Check prior to employment and will also require a Working with Children Check.