



## **Youth Worker – Cook and Phillip**

- Make a difference to the lives of youth living in Sydney
- Work with a collaborative and supportive team
- Part time opportunity (until June 2021 with possible extension subject to funding and review)

### **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**

We are seeking an experienced and passionate Youth worker to join CatholicCare's Cook and Phillip Program. Our program works closely with the local youth to strengthen their confidence and build on their unique skills, abilities and aspirations. In this role you will assist with the delivery of youth programs, which includes the planning and facilitation of education, employment and life skills courses and workshops, and community development activities and events.

**This is a part time opportunity until 30 June 2021, and the required working days are Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Based in Woolloomooloo, outreach services across Sydney will be required.**

### **Successful applicants will ideally have:**

- Ability to undertake the duties of the role in accordance with CatholicCare's Mission, Vision and Values and its Code of Ethics and Conduct
- University Qualifications in Social Work/Psychology/Social Welfare/Education or Diploma of Community Services (Youth Work)
- Awareness and understanding of trauma informed practice
- Experience working with vulnerable young people
- Knowledge of youth social issues, barriers and engagement strategies
- Experience facilitating community development activities including workshops and events
- Ability to effectively engage, communicate and collaborate with young people and a range of stakeholders and referrers internally and externally
- Demonstrated experience in working with culturally and linguistically diverse communities and with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities

### What Can We Offer You?

- CatholicCare provides 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](mailto:jobs@catholiccare.org) the following:

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

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

**Applications close 4.00 pm on Monday 2 March 2020**

### Need more information?

Contact Jacqui Moreno-Ovidi on 0447 863 222

*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.*