

The Stroke Foundation is a national not-for-profit organisation that works with stroke survivors, carers, health professionals, government, and the public to reduce the impact of stroke on the Australian community. Our mission is to Prevent Stroke, Save Lives, Enhance Recovery.

Purpose of the program

As a part of the Stroke Foundation's commitment to increasing awareness and prevention of Stroke in Queensland, we are working collaboratively with an alliance of organisations to deliver the My health for life program. The objectives of the My health for life program are:

- › Effectively identify people at risk of developing chronic diseases and provide them with appropriate behaviour modification interventions
- › Improve participants' knowledge about chronic disease risk factors, enhance capacity for healthy behaviour change
- › Improve the adoption and maintenance of healthy behaviours
- › Contribute to improved coordination across the prevention Program system
- › Manage and use insights from multiple sources of data and evidence to inform and improve Program design, delivery, and adaptation

The My health for life program includes work streams across six alliance organisations (Diabetes Queensland, Stroke Foundation, Heart Foundation, Ethnic Communities Council of Queensland, Queensland Aboriginal and Islander Health Council and the seven Queensland PHNs). The role of the Stroke Foundation is to work as part of the Engagement Stream, working closely with communities to enhance access and engagement of the program by Queensland adults.

Purpose of the role

Reporting to the My health for life Manager but working closely with the Diabetes Queensland Primary Care Engagement Lead, the Pharmacy Project Officer will develop and implement a rural and remote pharmacy engagement and program delivery strategy for the My health for life program. This position will also work closely with Regional Project Officers and Workplace Project Officer and will also be required to work collaboratively and effectively across the partner organisations to ensure efficient delivery of the program.

Key responsibilities

- › Identify enablers and barriers for pharmacies to engage with the program
- › Develop and implement a pharmacy engagement strategy that supports program engagement and delivery to rural and remote areas in conjunction with My health for life Manager and Diabetes Queensland Primary Care Engagement Lead
- › Work with My health for life program leads, partner organisations and regional project officers to successfully deliver the My health for life state-wide Rural and remote strategy
- › Identify and manage stakeholder relationships including state-wide pharmacies and peak bodies
- › Review and collaboratively develop project processes to enhance efficiencies and broaden scope
- › Identify, recommend, and participate in continuous quality improvement projects

Your background, skills, and experience

- › Tertiary qualifications in Health, Health Promotion, Public Health or related field (essential)
- › Ability to build and maintain relationships with partner organisations
- › Experience implementing a health initiative
- › Knowledge of the principles of chronic disease prevention
- › Strong project management skills
- › Demonstrated ability to develop and implement strategies to meet organisational and program targets in a timely manner
- › Ability to work under broad direction and with autonomy, as well as part of a team
- › Experience working with disadvantaged groups including people from culturally diverse backgrounds and people

What's on offer?

A flexible, innovative, and dynamic organisation with engaged knowledgeable staff and volunteers with the added benefits of competitive remuneration and salary packaging.

This is a fantastic opportunity to work with one of Australia's leading not-for profit organisations that has a positive influence on the lives of thousands of Australians each year. If you are passionate about making an impact, and want to be part of an organisation that is making a real difference in people's lives, please forward your resume with a covering letter to recruitment@strokefoundation.org.au

The Stroke Foundation embraces cultural diversity and strongly encourages suitably qualified people from all cultural backgrounds to apply.

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