

Position Description

Medical Liaison Manager (Business Development)

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Purpose of role	The Medical Liaison Manager (Business Development) is responsible for the identification of opportunities and to ensure excellence in service delivery with a specific focus of business growth for SNP. This will be achieved in consultation with the Manager (Business Development) and Manager (Client Relationships), medical liaison mangers, laboratory managers and the Executive.			
Reports to	Manager – Business Development, Manager - Client Relationships			
Authority	Has authority to:			
	- visit doctors as a representative of Sullivan Nicolaides Pathology;			
	- resolve customer service issues affecting quality of service in consultation with the Marketing Manager/s, Quality Manager and Laboratory Manager;			
	 enter hospital settings, including wards, emergency units and high dependency units as a representative of Sullivan Nicolaides Pathology. 			
	Mandatory			
	SC1	Commitment to Sonic Healthcare core values		
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	SC2	Ability to identify and realise business opportunities for the practice		
	SC3	Ability to provide a high level of customer service to both internal and external customers		
	SC4	Understanding of the principles of continuous quality improvement		
Selection criteria	SC5	Demonstrated ability to communicate effectively in written and oral form		
	SC6	Broad understanding of pathology processes		
	SC7	Possess a good working knowledge of MS office programs		
	SC8	Demonstrated ability to work independently as well as an effective member of a team		
	SC9	Must hold a Type O, Class C, driver's licence and have a demonstrated		
		good driving record for the past 5 years		
	SC10	Excellent organisational skills		
Major responsibilities	Demonstrate initiative to identify and maximise business development opportunities to grow Sullivan Nicolaides Pathology business interests.			
	Demonstrate initiative to identify and address specific service needs, service inadequacies and opportunities, with a specific focus on retention of work and business growth.			
	Monitor the behaviour of competitors and recognize and diffuse threats to SNP business as a result of these behaviours.			
	Maintain a high level of customer service focus to promote Sullivan Nicolaides Pathology to the referring practitioners and their secretaries and receptionists, the patients, hospitals, nursing homes and other institutions in your area of responsibility			
	Develop and continually update knowledge of all medical centres (and hospitals as required) in the territory in relation to key contacts, specialist medical disciplines, medical personnel, ward operations and personnel and competitor's activities.			

Specific duties and responsibilities	Build and maintain professional relationships with doctors, their representatives and where applicable key staff in areas that include but are not limited to administrators, directors of nursing and their assistants, clinical nurse consultants, clinical nurse educators and the directors and managers of units such as emergency centres and intensive care units, public relations, marketing.			
	Structure workload to ensure 70% of time is spent in direct contact with customer and 30% in office/administrative duties.			
	Report any significant variations in service experienced by internal or external clients and users of the service to the Marketing Manager			
	Be willing to implement immediate resolution when the expected service has not been delivered. Be an advocate of continuous quality improvement by reviewing processes to identify opportunities for enhanced excellence in service.			
	Participate in SNP sponsored educational and promotional activities.			
	Participate in planning and development of marketing strategies and products.			
	Organise and assist in marketing functions, lab tours etc. within your territory and other territories.			
	Contribute to, and encourage staff to contribute to, continuous Quality Improvement initiatives within Sullivan Nicolaides Pathology and your area of responsibilities			
	Provide support to colleagues when required.			
	Attend liaison meetings & teleconferences.			
	Prepare and submit accurate and timely monitoring reports as requested.			
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	Brenton Halter			
	Manager – Business Development	// Date		
	Margot Hill			
	Manager - Client Relationships	// Date		