# **Position Description**



Position Title

Community Resilience Officer

Kangaroo Island Office

Child Safety (Prohibited Persons) Act 2016

Award

Social, Community, Home Care & Disability Services Industry Award 2010

Classification

Social and Community Services Employee Level 3

Reporting Relationships

Reports to the Kangaroo Island Community Centre Coordinator

Direct reports:

- Nil

## **Position's Primary Purpose**

Funded by Country South Australia Primary Health Network (Country SA PHN), this position is to work closely with the Kangaroo Island (KI) Council and Kangaroo Island (KI) Community Centre Coordinator, to identify, develop and implement non-clinical community based supports on Kangaroo Island supporting the connection of community to current services.

Building individual and community resilience, based on the needs of the local fire affected cohorts considered at greater risk of experiencing impacts, to support mental health and community wellbeing, this position will assist the community with its preparedness for future natural disasters.

### **Key Accountabilities**

- Support the continuation of the Recovery Centre by offering social programs/services in collaboration with the existing Junction run community centre, ensuring community members have access to programs/services that foster connections
- Assist with planning and delivering the annual Health and Wellbeing Community Expo
- Coordinate linkages between community and service providers where required
- Assist with promoting volunteering with all members of the community as a means of staying connected and involved with community
- Support volunteers with digital literacy training as required
- Promote community activities and provide information using all forms of media available
- Regularly seek feedback from participants in community programs/services about their experiences and connectedness to assist with identifying the communities health and wellbeing
- Support the KI Community Centre Coordinator with the grant writing process and planning of activities as required to support program delivery
- Support the KI "Our Town" initiative where applicable

### **Key Relationships**

Who	How
Internal	
Supervisor	Liaise with the Kangaroo Island Community Centre Coordinator to identify local issues and prioritise tasks to support recognised vulnerable cohorts
Stakeholders	Work collaboratively with Junction Kangaroo Island Domestic and Family Violence Services, Homelessness Service and Emergency Relief Service and the broader organisation to deliver a high quality supportive services framework
External	

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Client	Engage with the Kangaroo Island fire-affected community around their health and wellbeing to assess their sense of community value and connectedness and work towards common goals/shared outcomes
Stakeholders/ Service Providers	Support a collaborative and connected approach to service delivery through strong working relationships with the Kangaroo Island Council, CSAPHN Bushfire Response Coordinator; Community Groups and local and FIFO Health, Social and Community Services
	Develop an effective relationship/partnership with Country SA PHN (external grant funding body) and other stakeholders to deliver positive client outcomes including attendance at networks and other sector meetings as required

### **Core Values**

Junction aspires to deliver flexible and responsive services that are underpinned by the following core values:



## **Capability Summary**

The Junction People Capability Framework applies to all employees and is key in ensuring our Values are embedded in all we do. See attached list of all capabilities for the level of this role.

CAPABILITY GROUP	CAPABILITY NAME				
OUTCOMES FOCUSED	Positively impact clients	Deliver results	Drive innovation	Plan and prioritise	
PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES	Act with integrity	Live our values and embrace	Show resilience and adaptability	Display self-awareness and motivation	
POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS	Client centric	Influence and negotiate	Communicate effectively	Work collaboratively	
LEADERSHIP & PEOPLE Management	Inspire and lead with purpose	Manage through our Values	Support and develop our people	Make sound and agile decisions	
BUSINESS ENABLERS	Manage change	Optimise resources	Leverage technology	Understand financial requirements	

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### **Position Requirements**

- A satisfactory Working with Children Check (WWCC) or General Probity Check must be completed, (as applicable), prior to commencing employment and maintained thereafter
- Current Safe Environments Certificate is required and the employee must comply with relevant state legislation to support a child safe organisation
- Holds a current unencumbered Australian Driver's Licence or equivalent, and is willing to drive
- Current Senior First Aid is required and maintained thereafter

#### **Selection Criteria**

#### **Education and Knowledge**

 A relevant qualification or lesser formal qualifications with a combination of experience, expertise, and competence to perform the duties required at this level

#### Skills and Experience

- Demonstrated understanding of, commitment to and alignment with our service values
- Experience in community engagement or mental health would be desirable
- An understanding of bushfire and/or disaster recovery
- Demonstrated experience contributing to the development, implementation and evaluation of programs that meet community development outcomes
- Strong written, verbal and listening skills which are adaptable to a range of settings including workshop facilitation and presentations
- Good organisational, time management and problem solving skills including experience coordinating events

## **Equal Employment Opportunity**

Junction is an equal opportunity employer that embraces a culture of diversity. We encourage applications from the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander community, people with disability, and people from every culture, gender and sexuality identity, age and ethnic background. Junction is committed to being a Child Safe organisation and has zero tolerance for child abuse.



OUTCOMES FOCUSED	PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES	POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS	LEADERSHIP & PEOPLE MANAGEMENT	BUSINESS ENABLERS
Positively Impact Clients  Actively works to understand clients/customers and stakeholders  Engages clients/customers in a friendly and appropriate manner  Shows respect for clients/customers and stakeholders	Act with integrity  Acts in accordance with Junction Values and Code of Conduct  Is honest, ethical and professional  Acknowledges mistakes and learns from them	Client Centric  Actively works to understand clients/customers and stakeholders  Engages clients/customers in a friendly and appropriate manner  Shows respect for clients/ customers and stakeholders	Inspire and lead with purpose  • Supports others to understand the organisational direction  • Contributes to the development of team goals and helps others to do the same  • Recognises and acknowledges team members achievements and successes	Manage change Supports and participates in change initiatives, assisting others to understand Recognises doubts about change in the workplace and is open to transparent conversations about those doubts Recognises barriers to change, both own and colleagues, supporting each other to accept and facilitate change
Deliver results  Focuses on own performance and seeks to deliver quality services  Seeks clarity of tasks, asks questions, knows what is expected of them  Energetically approaches challenges  Reports progress and any potential delays or issues which may impact on others	Value and embrace diversity  Sees differences in people as valuable and potential assets  Values diversity of thought and includes everyone within the team  Is open-minded – listen to learn and understand	Influence and negotiate  Contributes to finding effective solutions that influence positive outcomes  Works with team to manage workload and/or priorities Participates in discussions to resolve differences with others	Contributes to a positive focus safety Shows genuine care for the safety and wellbeing of self, others and the communities Follows all Work, Health and Safety policy/procedures, contributes to safety and works with others to achieve a zero-harm environment	Optimise resources  Works with team members to make effective use of resources to maximise service outcomes  Works with team members to ensure a combined and accurate understanding of processes and practices for the work place  Works with team members to identify team expectations and standards with a focus on efficiency
Drive innovation Shows a willingness to try new ways of working Generates and shares ideas about ways to continuously improve work and solve problems Looks for better ways to achieve the right outcome	Show resilience and adaptability  Works to embrace and assist change  Helps to engage others in the change process  Shows resilience in times of uncertainty	Communicate effectively  Actively listens to clients/tenants and colleagues  Contributes to team discussions and planning  Keeps stakeholders informed of progress and issues	Support and develop our people  Responds flexibly to changing demands  Helps others to identify development opportunities to increase capability	Leverage technology  Is familiar and confident in using office software applications and technology  Understands the function of the technology currently used in role  Understands and complies with information, communication and document control policies, systems and security protocols
Plan and prioritise Sets priorities and organises self to meet deadlines Discusses and agrees work plans, timelines and goals with direct lead Regularly tracks progress on work tasks and adjusts work priorities accordingly Provides input to the development of team work plans and goals	Display self-awareness and motivation  Looks for opportunities to learn from the feedback of others  Is prepared to challenge self and take calculated risks  Is open to development of capabilities that help attainment of goals	Work collaboratively  Helps others who need guidance or direction on a job  Shares information, ideas  Acknowledges others' efforts	Make sound and agile decisions  Makes and implements routine decisions on daily work in a timely manner  Consults and seeks necessary information as a basis for decisions  Explores various possibilities and generate innovative solutions	Understand financial requirements  Understands budgets can only be used for intended purposes  Appreciates the importance of accuracy in estimating costs, analysing financial data and recording transactions  Uses all resources wisely and efficiently