

Domestic Support Worker – Permanent part time and casual - Newcastle

Are you a person who cares about the elderly in your community and wants to assist them to optimise their independence and to remain connected to their community? Perhaps you have no aged care experience; but are you looking for an exciting new career opportunity?

NSS has career opportunities, for both permanent part time and casual domestic support workers. We are also able offer opportunities to develop your career further by assisting you to study towards formal qualifications in aged care, including home care traineeships and on the job training options.

About us

Northern Settlement Services Ltd (NSS) is an independent not for profit organisation providing a range of services in the areas of settlement, aged care, youth and vulnerable families across the Hunter, Central Coast and New England regions of NSW.

It is our mission to be the leading regional organisation working with culturally and linguistically diverse (CALD) individuals, families and communities, providing services that strengthen and inspire people in an environment that is culturally sensitive and responsive to their needs and goals. We have a dedicated Aged Care Team that provides home care and support services in Newcastle and the Central Coast to aged people over 65 years from CALD backgrounds.

About the role

Home Care Domestic Support staff provide direct assistance to our clients with a view to improving their quality of life at home. Common tasks in this role may include helping clients with regular day to day activities such as meal preparation, transport to appointments, as well as light domestic assistance to maintain a safe and clean environment for the client.

To be successful in this role, you will:

- Have a commitment to making a positive difference in the life of our elderly clients.
- Be willing to travel locally between clients, and be flexible to work various shifts;
- Have genuine empathy and interest in working in a multicultural workplace;
- Hold a current driver's licence;
- Have a reliable motor vehicle with registration and comprehensive insurance;
- Have a mobile phone with internet connectivity;
- Hold a current First Aid Certificate or be willing to undertake this qualification.
- Willingness to obtain a fully vaccinated status against COVID 19 and Influenza.
- Willingness to obtain a National Police check and Working with Children Check (WCC).

Diversity Statement

NSS is committed to promoting social inclusion and productive diversity, including by seeking diversity within our workforce. We encourage and welcome applications from diverse community groups and ages including people from CALD. NSS adheres to the principles of equal employment opportunity. For further information about NSS, please go to www.nsservices.com.au

How to Apply

All applications will be managed via SEEK. Applications will close on 28th March 2022. Only those applicants who are short listed will be contacted.

For any enquiries about the position, please contact Human Resources at nss@nsservices.com.au or (02) 4969 3399.