

POSITION DESCRIPTION

Weave Woolloomooloo (WW) Targeted Earlier Intervention (TEI) Caseworker

Position title	Targeted Early Intervention Caseworker
Reports to	Weave Woolloomooloo Program Manager
Responsible for	Providing individual and family casework support to families with children aged 0 - 12 years and young people aged 12 - 25 years predominantly from Woolloomooloo, Darlinghurst and Kings cross area. Participating in and/or facilitating community activities, groups and/or projects as part of our Community Strengthening support
Location	Weave Woolloomooloo, 49 McElhone Street, Woolloomooloo
Hours	Part time (4 days per week/28 hours per week) between Tuesday to Friday
Status	All positions at Weave are dependant on continued funding and are subject to a 6 month probation period
Award	Social Community Home Care and Disability Services Industry Award 2010 (SCHCADS)
Remuneration	SCHADS SACS Level 4 Paypoint 1-4 depending on qualifications and experience. Weave pays above the SCHADS Award hourly rate. Weave hourly rate range for Paypoint 4 Level 1-4: \$46.77-\$50.33 Plus Superannuation @ 11.5% (increasing to 12% on 1 July 2025) Plus Annual Leave Loading of 17.5%
Benefits	 Generous salary sacrifice Above Award hourly rates based on a 35 hour week Bonus paid leave days over Christmas and New Year

About Weave Youth & Community Services

<u>Weave Youth & Community Services</u> is a place-based community organisation located on unceded Gadigal and Bidjigal Land in Sydney, that has been delivering a range of programs, supports and services developed with and for the community for 49 years. Our work at every level is guided by our <u>Aboriginal Healing Framework</u>.

About the Position

The Targeted Earlier Intervention (TEI) Caseworker provides intensive wrap-around case management for families with children aged 0 - 12 years and young people aged 12 - 25 years predominantly from the Woolloomooloo, Darlinghurst and Kings Cross area. Case Management includes but is not limited to, therapeutic and practical assistance, housing support, AOD and mental health support, information and referral, education assistance, access to support services, activities, groups, projects and events. This role also works with the WW team to provide support with programs and events.

About Weave Woolloomooloo

Weave Woolloomooloo (WW) is a vibrant youth centre located on Gadigal Land in the heart of Woolloomooloo. It is a welcoming and safe space for young community members and young families from the area and surrounding suburbs. WW provides case management for young people aged 12 to 25 and young families with children in their care aged under 12, with priority given to people living in Woolloomooloo, Kings Cross and Darlinghurst. WW also offers creative and innovative youth-led projects, events and groups that meet the needs of young people and build the capacity and cohesion of the community.

Selection Criteria

- 1. Relevant tertiary qualification/s in Social Work, Youth Work, Social Sciences or similar
- Previous experience in a caseworker or support worker role, providing support to young people and/or families with complex trauma histories and support needs
- 3. Knowledge and understanding of relevant referral pathways to health, education, employment, recreational, cultural, housing, mental health, legal, drug and alcohol and other support services
- 4. Awareness of, and sensitivity to the experiences of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples impacted by the ongoing oppressive legacies of colonisation

- 5. Understanding of the importance of cultural safety for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, the strengths of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples
 - 6. Understanding of the social justice issues facing young people and families from lower socio-economic backgrounds with a commitment to and demonstrated experience of working within a client-centred, trauma-informed, strengths-based and culturally safe framework
 - 7. An ability to manage community dynamics
 - 8. Common sense and an excellent sense of humour
- 9. NSW Working with Children Clearance and National Police Check
- 10. Current NSW Driver's Licence
- 11. Current First Aid Certificate or willingness to obtain within two months of employment.

Desired criteria

1. Knowledge of the Woolloomooloo, Kings Cross, Darlinghurst area and the complex issues faced by these communities