



Clinical Lead – Audiology

Waikato Hospital, Hamilton

Job Number: WAI05810

12 hours per week (0.3 FTE)

In addition you will carry a clinical case load of at least 20 hours per week (0.5 FTE)

The Allied Health team at the Waikato District Health Board has an exciting new position of Clinical Lead Audiology. This is an opportunity for an experienced audiologist to work in an innovative and friendly team.

The role will include 12 hours per week in the Clinical Lead position, and a minimum of 20 hours per week undertaking Audiology clinical work based at Waikato Hospital.

If you are a person with a will to influence and support audiology staff to be well positioned to meet the changing needs within health, then this position may be for you. The clinical lead role has been established to support the allied health professional leader in their role of providing expertise, advice and guidance in the development of strategies that ensure a service that provides high user experience, expert and effective care and efficient delivery.

In this role you will work closely with the manager and staff in the development and implementation of workforce development plans, recruitment and retention, and you will actively account for quality and patient safety and ensure related KPI's are delivered to. In addition you will identify opportunities for research and innovation across Audiology in collaboration with clinicians

The Audiology department provides a comprehensive rehabilitation and diagnostic service for children and adults, with the opportunity to work in specialised areas including a complex paediatric caseload, electrophysiological assessments, and bone anchored hearing aid assessment and fitting. We are part of a purpose built facility that operates alongside Ear Nose and Throat specialists, Maxillofacial specialists and a well-established, co-located Newborn Hearing Screening Programme.

To be successful in this position you will need to:

- Have completed a New Zealand Master of Audiology (MAud), or have an equivalent qualification recognised by the New Zealand Audiological Society (NZAS)
- Hold a current NZAS Clinical Competency Certification (CCC) as an Audiologist, or have qualified for "fast track" status by NZAS
- Be self-motivated, accountable and to work independently
- Hold a current full
- New Zealand drivers licence

Desirable:

- Hold NZAS Paediatric Certificates

For further information on this position please contact Lesley Thornley, Allied Health Professional Leader: 021 229 9806 Lesley.Thornley@waikatodhb.health.nz, or Deborah McKellar, Manager Audiology, Newborn Hearing Screening & Speech Language Therapy: 021 854 313 deborah.mckellar@waikatodhb.health.nz

Closing date: 26 August 2018

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