

Aboriginal Environmental Health Program Officer

About the Opportunity

The Shire of Halls Creek, located in northern Western Australia, boasts a progressive Council that is proactively facing the challenges and opportunities that come with being an outback Council. Situated in the heart of the Kimberley, Halls Creek is the gateway to a range of world-renowned natural attractions, including the World Heritage-listed Bungle Bungle ranges of Purnululu National Park and Wolfe Creek Meteorite Crater (the second largest on earth with a diameter of 850 metres) and is an indigenous cultural epicentre with 6 great art centres within the district.

This is a full-time permanent position in the Health and Regulatory Services section reporting to the Director Health and Regulatory Services. You will implement the Aboriginal Environmental Health Program and provide professional leadership in public health matters.

The full position description is available on the Shire website.

Selection criteria to be addressed:

- 1. Tertiary qualifications in Environmental Health, Health Promotion or Public Health or equivalent
- 2. Significant experience in planning, delivery and evaluation of health promotion activities
- 3. Demonstrated experience working to address social determinants of health.
- 4. Hold a current "C" class motor drivers' licence
- 5. Awareness of Aboriginal culture

Desirable criteria:

- 1. Demonstrated ability to write successful funding applications and meet funding reporting requirements
- 2. Experience working in Aboriginal Communities.

Please note that application that do not address the selection criteria will not be considered.

About the benefits

The *Shire of Halls Creek* highly values their employees and is offering a **range of fantastic benefits** as part of their package including:

5 weeks annual leave;

- Furnished House, with generous subsidised rent;
- Matching additional Superannuation above 9.5%;
- Free internet connection at residence;
- Generous phone call allowance
- Water and electricity allowance;
- Opportunity for salary sacrifice;
- · Career development & ongoing training;
- A 4 wheel drive vehicle with some private use

The cash component of the package will be negotiated with the successful applicant, with qualifications and experience being considered.

It is suggested that your application consist of

- 1. A covering letter
- 2. Resume or Curriculum Vitae
- 3. Supporting Statement (Addressing the Selection Criteria)
- 4. Referees Applicants must supply the names of three referees.

Applicants must be addressed to Chief Executive Officer, Shire of Halls Creek, PO Box 21, Halls Creek WA 6770 or emailed to hcshire@hcshire.wa.gov.au.

A full information package is available by contacting the Director Health and Regulatory Services on 08 9168 6007 or email dhrs@hcshire.wa.gov.au.

Applications close Monday 25 October 2021, COB.