

### **Employment**

# **Position Description**

**Position:** Receptionist

**Award:** Lyndoch Living (Health and Allied Services, Manager and

Administrative Officers) Enterprise Agreement 2016-2020

**Classification**: As per relevant Enterprise Agreement

**Status:** As per Contract of Employment

**Qualifications:** Formal qualification in Office Administration and/or relevant

experience in administration highly regarded

## Position Objective(s)

To provide professional, welcoming and friendly Reception and Administration Services to consumers and staff. Actively screen all visitors in accordance to COVID-19 protocols, in a manner which reflects Lyndoch Living as a professional, customer focused organisation.

## Lyndoch Living Vision

By recognising each person for the individual they are, we will strive to provide them with the specific services, care and support they need to enjoy a lifestyle that is their own – dignified, engaging, fulfilling and rewarding

## The Lyndoch Way

• To support a positive work environment and culture that we believe will best fit the future we are strategically planning for, "nine pillars" have been identified

### One Team

We value and recognize individuality as a vital part of developing a unified voice

#### Pride

We support pride and passion in our work and in doing so, we attract others who share our values

### Welcoming Workplace

We encourage warm, friendly and respectful interactions across all aspects of our Services

### Yes Culture

We always start with 'yes' in every deliberation



#### Customer Service

We ensure that customers feel engaged and valued in every interaction

#### Innovation

We will enhance our services and exceed customers' expectations, by embracing Innovation and fresh ideas

### • Fun and Enjoyment

We recognize that fun and enjoyment are critical to success

### Safety

We actively promote safety through the provision of innovative and high quality training, monitoring of risk and compliance with OHS regulations

### Social Purpose

Through the social conscience of our staff and consumers we actively engage with causes that impact our local community

### Key Responsibilities and Duties

- Actively screening all consumers and staff to Lyndoch in accordance with Covid-19 protocols using a manual process and/or online Visitor Booking System
- Satisfactorily addressing any concerns promptly with visitors at the time
- Managing representative visits to ensure both residents and their families have an optimum experience
- Provide administrative support and backup for organisational administration as required
- Coordinate incoming mail distribution and prepare outgoing mail for collection
- Liaise and provide directions to staff, Consumers and Visitors to various areas of the facility as required
- Undertake basic monetary transactions
- Provide administrative assistance and support to other departments within Lyndoch where required
- Seek out and disseminate information pertaining to administration as relevant and appropriate
- Provide announcements over the Public Address System as required in relation to activities and emergency situations throughout the facility
- Attend organisational mandatory updates as per organisational requirements
- Have an understanding of the Accreditation process, and be involved in continuous improvement
- Participate in Quality Activities within the administration area as required
- Participate in relevant safety training
- Participate in an annual performance review
- Display a commitment to supporting a discrimination and harassment free work environment
- Other duties as required or as delegated within scope of practice



## Organisational Relationships

**Reports to:** Residential Intake & Admissions Coordinator

**Supervises:** Nil

**Internal Contacts:** All Lyndoch staff, Consumers, Families and Carers **External Contacts:** Members of the Public, Contractors and Suppliers

## Specialist Knowledge and Skills

The following knowledge and skills are required to be utilised:

- Experience in administration roles or related areas
- Advanced Reception and Administrative skills demonstrating an attention to detail
- Ability to provide occasional leave coverage when required
- Exceptional customer service skills
- Excellent telephone manner and articulation
- Exposure to maintaining records, databases and registers
- Excellent communication skills and the ability to liaise with a wide variety of stakeholders
- The ability to master system processes quickly and confidently
- Strong time management, attention to detail and organisational skills
- The ability to be flexible and enjoying being part of a team working towards a common goal
- High attention to detail and accuracy
- Sound written communication skills, able to draft correspondence, edit documents and write instructional information
- Strong interpersonal and verbal communication skills, able to communicate with clients and external visitors, managers and staff at all levels and present a professional image
- Excellent keyboard skills and demonstrated competence in the use of business technology and desktop applications including, internet, word, spreadsheet and database packages;
- Excellent time management skills with the ability to effectively plan and organise and coordinate own workload
- The ability to maintain a high level of professionalism and confidentiality
- Ability to work independently, show initiative and work productively within the team environment; and
- Ability to work with minimal supervision and to work to deadlines

## Management Skills

The following management skills are required to be utilised:

- Ability to prioritise and complete tasks to an agreed time frame
- Ability to ensure an efficient and effective utilisation of resources
- Open to change initiatives and demonstrate a positive attitude to organisational innovation and change
- Ability to work co-operatively with colleagues regarding administration support
- Ability to work with colleagues to resolve problems and to offer solutions



### **Interpersonal Skills**

The following interpersonal skills are required to be demonstrated:

- Commitment to demonstrating the values of They Lyndoch Way in everything you do
- Demonstrated exceptional Customer Service ethos and commitment to Quality and Continuous Improvement
- Capacity to interact empathetically with Staff and Consumers and communicate effectively
- Provide services that respect individual rights and the needs of all customers
- Demonstrate a strong commitment to best outcomes customer service
- Demonstrate an ability to be part of a team to work to identified goals
- Demonstrate an understanding of Lyndoch Living organisational structure and communication protocols
- Foster and maintain effective communication with all customers, peers and health professionals
- Ability to work well in a team environment and to show initiative as appropriate

### General

The following skills are required to be demonstrated:

- Conduct work in line with all relevant OH&S legislation and in accordance with organisational policies and procedures
- Be involved in matters relating to OH&S to achieve a high standard of safety in the work environment
- Participate in relevant training to ensure continued professional development for self-improvement and best practice for the organisation
- Participate in annual performance appraisal
- Respect diversity in values, customs and beliefs
- There is an expectation that the role will include direction to perform other duties that must be reasonable in relation to the employee's skills and abilities

### Agreement

I accept and agree to the duties in this Position Description. I understand that this Position Description is to be read in conjunction with the General Terms and Conditions of Employment and I agreed to abide by terms and conditions stipulated therein.

Name (Please print)	
Signature	Date



Director of Nursing July 2020 Authorised by:

Date: