

HNELHD: LMNCS Allied Health Vacancies Update

Dear Member,

The HSU has received correspondence from the HNELHD responding to the HSU's letter issued in December 2018. The initial correspondence was around the vacant positions within allied health professions across the Lower Mid North Coast Sector.

The response from the employer is attached for members' attention. This issue has been escalated through the District Joint Consultative Committee (DJCC) and as a result, a meeting is being convened by the HNELHD with the HSU to discuss our concerns.

Given the content of the attached letter, the HSU is calling for members to remain vigilant and urges members to contact your local Organiser Michael Kearns via email michael.kearns@hsu.asn.au if any vacancies remain unfilled, or if personnel other than allied health professionals/AHAs are recruited to the vacancies. More information will be forthcoming after the HSU has met with management.

A membership application to join the HSU is also attached so that you can talk with colleagues about joining our cause.

In unity,



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Mr Michael Kearns
Organiser, Public Health Division
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Dear Michael

Thank you for your correspondence dated 17 December 2018 about Allied Health Vacancies in the Lower Mid North Coast Sector.

I would like to apologise for the delay in responding to you. Unfortunately over the Christmas / New Year period your correspondence to Michael DiRienzo was misdirected. He has now asked me to respond.

I'd like to assure you that it is our priority to ensure we have the appropriate staffing in place to support safe, quality Allied Health services in the region.

We are currently reviewing the Allied Health vacancies that exist in the sector and it is our priority to fill as many of these vacancies as possible.

I am currently reviewing the information that you have provided in your correspondence. Once that is complete I will be in touch to provide you a more comprehensive response to the issues you have raised in your letter.

In the meantime, if you have any concerns or would like to discuss this further, please don't hesitate to contact me on 4985 5363.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "K. P. Kelly".

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HSU New South Wales Branch and Health Services Union**

Surname: Given Name(s):
DOB: Occupation/Classification:
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Employment Status (please tick one box below): Department / Ward
What is your Award Classification?
Full Time Part Time Casual Hours worked per week
Home Address:
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Credit Card Payment

Please charge my; Mastercard Visacard American Express
Card No:
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Payment Method: Direct Debit Request

Please debit my Bank/Credit Card account

Fortnightly

Please start my Fortnightly Debit on DAY / MONTH / YEAR (day/month/year)

Monthly

All Monthly debits occur on the first of every month.

Note: where your debit day (fortnightly / monthly) falls on a public holiday, your account will be debited on the next business day

I request you, until further notice in writing, to debit my/our account described in the schedule above, any amount which HSU (user ID No. 017797) / HSU NSW Branch (user ID 428556) may debit or charge me through the Direct Debit System.

Signature: Date: DAY / MONTH / YEAR

HSU Delegate Name:

HSU Delegate Membership No:

By signing this membership form, you agree to the terms and conditions of our privacy policy, which can be accessed at <http://www.hsu.asn.au/privacy-policy/> and you consent to us collecting, using, holding and disclosing your information as detailed therein. If you do not consent to any aspect of our privacy policy as it applies to you, please notify the Privacy Officer in writing attention to Privacy Officer - HSU Locked Bag 3 Australia Square NSW 1215

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