

## **Registered Nurse, Forensic Mental Health - Specialty Year of Practice**

### **Program Objective:**

The aim of the Forensic Mental Health -Specialty Year of Practice program is to equip interested and motivated second year RN's with the skills, knowledge and experience to work in Forensic Mental Health.

The Forensic Mental Health - Specialty Year of Practice Program provides participants with a structured education and training package combined with the practical experience of working within a Forensic Hospital.

Successful applicants will be employed by Justice Health (The Forensic Hospital) on a 12 month temporary contract. There will be opportunity for participants to gain permanent employment within The Forensic Hospital following successful completion of the program.

Participants will take part in a 3 week orientation course for the Forensic Hospital prior to beginning the rotation through various units.

The Forensic Hospital CNE will provide a specifically tailored, intensive training and education package during the 12 month program.

The participants will be expected to participate in the ongoing experiential learning program while at the Forensic Hospital.

### **Participant Profile:**

RN's who have recently completed a New Graduate Program and are interested in making a career change to Mental Health Nursing.

### **Benefits of participation:**

Professional development and consolidation of learning with dedicated clinical support to change your specialty area of practice.

The Forensic Hospital is committed to a skilled and motivated workforce. This is your opportunity to join that team.

### **Commencement of the program:**

Applications close on the 22nd March 2011.

Interviews will be scheduled late March with program commencement April 2011

### **How to apply:**

Please complete the application package found on the website and submit along with your resume and covering letter describing how you meet the selection criteria to:

[www.careers@justicehealth.nsw.gov.au](mailto:www.careers@justicehealth.nsw.gov.au)

If you have any questions about the program please don't hesitate to contact us on:

**1300 734 842**