Executive Officer - Darwin

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ABN: 24 609 472 742

Full-Time position

ARDS is a non-Government organisation affiliated with the Uniting Church. ARDS works with communities, homelands and other service providers across the Northern Territory to help empower Indigenous people to:

- build individual, family and community capacity in areas of western health, legal/governance and economic education;
- develop and deliver programs and resources in partnership with communities.

ARDS operates Yolnu Radio (YR) broadcasting to north-east Arnhem Land and the Darwin/Palmerston region and to meet the needs of the Yolnu people.

Primary Objective:

To lead a multi-disciplinary team, working towards building capacity within Aboriginal communities by utilising cross-cultural, bilingual and adult education processes.

Key Responsibilities:

- 1. Demonstrate high order leadship and management skills with the ARDS Management Committee, ARDS staff and stakeholders.
- 2. Develop strong relationships with Yolnu as well as building strong relationships with people from government and non-government agencies and services.
- 3. Build capacity within Yolnu and other Aboriginal communities by utilising adult education processes.
- 4. Work with the ARDS Management Committee Chairperson to represent ARDS to governments and the community.
- 5. Seek to expand the ARDS organisation through gaining new and continuing existing service delivery contracts.
- 6. Encourage colleagues in learning an Indigenous language as applicable, and/or cross-cultural and bilingual learning in general.

The successful applicant will be required to:

- hold or be eligible to obtain a current NT Driver's licence;
- hold or be eligible to obtain a NT Working with Children Clearance Notice (Ochre Card):
- agree to undertake a Criminal History Check;
- be able to work within the ethos of the Uniting Church.

Primary Location: Darwin - with remote travel by light plane and/or 4WD vehicle.

Salary Level: \$ 95k to \$105k, plus car plus superannuation. Salary packaging available.

Applications due: COB Friday 31st October 2013.

For a position description: glenys.boylan@ards.com.au or 08 8984 4174.

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Applications to: admin@ards.com.au or post:ARDS Inc, PO Box 36921, Winnellie NT 0821.