



JOB DESCRIPTION FORM

Section 1 – POSITION IDENTIFICATION

Goldfields		Position No:	614636
Division:	Palliative Care	Title:	Clinical Nurse Specialist - Breast Care
Branch:	Kalgoorlie Health Campus	Classification:	RN SRN Level 2
Section:	Nursing	Award/Agreement	Nurses and Midwives Agreement

Section 2 – POSITION RELATIONSHIPS

Responsible
To

Title:	Regional Director
Classification:	HSO Class 2
Position No:	601000



Responsible
To

Title:	Director of Nursing & Midwifery
Classification:	RN SRN Level 10
Position No:	613267



This
position

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OTHER POSITIONS REPORTING DIRECTLY TO THIS POSITION:

<u>Title</u>
601098 – Clinical Nurse Specialist - Infection Control
601397 – Nurse Specialist - HR
613152 – Clinical Nurse specialist – Oncology Coordination
613759 - Nurse Manager - Palliative Care
613882 – Clinical Nurse Specialist – Renal Access
614635 – Clinical Nurse Specialist - Breast Care

Positions under direct supervision:	← Other positions under control:								
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Section 3 – KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

The objective of the Breast Care Nurse position, funded by the McGrath Foundation under the Breast Cancer Nurses Initiative is to improve the quality and continuity of care and support provided to clients diagnosed with breast cancer across the continuum of care.

Key responsibilities include:

- Act as a Breast Cancer resource person for staff and patients and their significant others throughout the region
- Provides clinical breast cancer nursing knowledge and case management within the WACHS region
- Demonstrates leadership and role modelling
- Promotes maintenance of clinical standard setting and monitoring, policy development and change management as required to improve the breast cancer patient's management

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The WA Country Health Service (WACHS) is the largest country health system in Australia and one of the biggest in the world, providing health services to approximately half a million people, including 45,000 Aboriginal people, over a vast two and a half million square kilometres area.

WA Country Health Service hospitals handle as many births as the State's major maternity hospital – and as many emergency presentations as Perth metropolitan hospitals combined. The range of health services provided cover population health, mental health, Indigenous health and aged care.

Our dedicated and committed staff work hard to fulfil our purpose *Working together for a healthier country WA*, to deliver health services that support the health and well-being of individuals and communities in rural and remote Western Australia.

OUR PURPOSE

To improve, promote and protect the health of country Western Australians.

WHAT WE STAND FOR

Quality health services for all.

Improving the health of Aboriginal people and those most in need.

A fair share for country health.

Supporting our team – workforce excellence and stability.

OUR VALUES

Community – making a difference through teamwork, generosity and country hospitality.

Compassion – listening and caring with empathy and dignity.

Quality – creating a quality health care experience for every consumer.

Integrity – accountability, honesty and professional, ethical conduct in all that we do.

Justice – valuing diversity with a fair share for all.

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Section 5 – SELECTION CRITERIA

ESSENTIAL

1. Eligible for registration in the category of Registered Nurse by the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia.
2. Demonstrated experience in working effectively and harmoniously within a multidisciplinary health care team and independently.
3. Demonstrated leadership experience and clinical/professional knowledge in the provision of breast cancer nursing care.
4. Demonstrated high level interpersonal and communication (written & verbal) skills.
5. Demonstrated well-developed analytical and problem solving skills.
6. Demonstrated high level of organisational and time management skills.
7. Extensive knowledge and application of quality improvement, research and best practice principles.
8. Possession of a current WA C or C-A Class Drivers licence.

DESIRABLE

1. Possession of or significant progression toward the attainment of a post graduate qualification in area of speciality.
2. Understanding of preceptoring, orientation, clinical teaching programs and basic counselling skills.
3. Computer literacy.
4. Current knowledge and commitment to Equal Opportunity in all aspects of employment and service delivery.

Section 6 – APPOINTMENT FACTORS

Location	Kalgoorlie	Accommodation	As determined by the WA Country Health Service Policy
Allowances/ Appointment Conditions	Appointment is subject to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evidence of current registration by the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia must be provided prior to commencement. • Completion of a 100 point identification check • Successful Criminal Record Screening clearance • Successful Pre- Placement Health Screening clearance • Current WA C or C-A Class drivers licence Allowances <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • District Allowance as applicable 		
Specialised equipment operated			

Section 7 – CERTIFICATION

The details contained in this document are an accurate statement of the duties, responsibilities and other requirements of the position.

Signature and Date: ____/____/____
Director of Nursing & Midwifery

Signature and Date: ____/____/____
Regional Director

As occupant of the position I have noted the statement of duties, responsibilities and other requirements as detailed in this document.

Name	Signature	Date Appointed	Date Signed

