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# Expressions of Interest

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## Aboriginal Health Worker Trainee

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### Winda-Mara Aboriginal Corporation

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Winda-Mara Aboriginal Corporation (Winda-Mara) is a community-controlled organisation located in South West Victoria with offices in Heywood and Hamilton. Winda-Mara was established in 1991 as a result of members within the community wanting to provide better health, education and employment opportunities for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people living in the area and has a membership base of over 200 members.

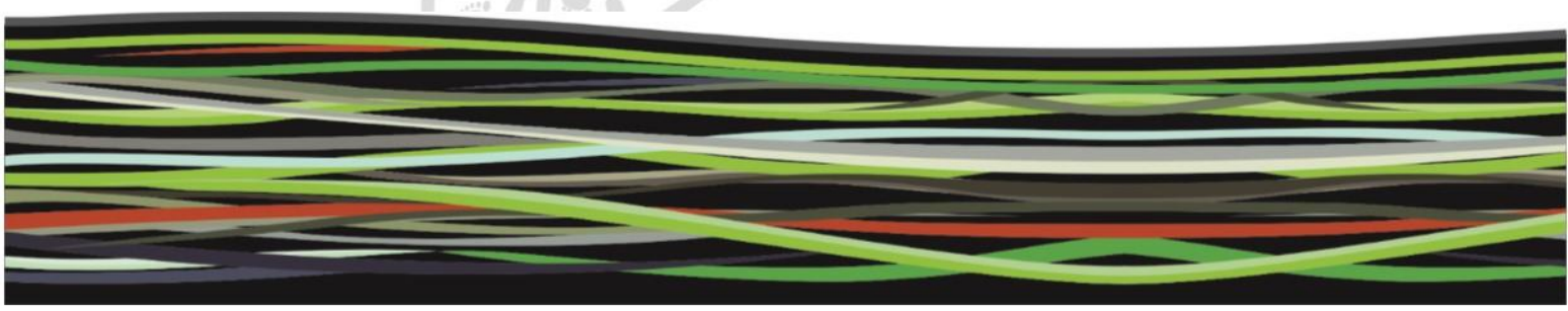
Winda-Mara employs over 75 people and has a key focus to provide opportunities for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people to participate and access culturally appropriate services. Winda-Mara believes that culturally appropriate services will ensure a balanced approach, by working with people, rather than for people will provide equality and self-determination. Winda-Mara provides a range of services to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people and their families across Heywood, Hamilton, Portland and surrounding areas over a number of programs: Land Management, Family Services, GP Clinic and Allied Health, Health Promotion and Prevention, Community Wellbeing, Culture and Tourism, Governance and Administration and Kinship Care and Support.

Our Vision: *“That Winda-Mara Aboriginal Corporation is recognised as a progressive leader and a catalyst for positive change enabling Aboriginal people in Victoria’s far south-west to lead fuller lives”.*

Our Vision will be achieved by focusing on four themes and these are:

*“People” “Organisation” “Country” “Culture”*

*“Mara” “Kooyoorn” “Meerang” “Culture”*



Positions: Aboriginal Health Worker Trainee x 1 (Heywood).

Reports to: Health Services Manager

Award Classification: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Workers and Practitioners and Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Services Award 2020

Location: 21 Scott Street, Heywood

Hours of Employment: Full Time or Part Time

Contract Period: 18 months (full time) or 36 months (part time), from commencement of employment

Enquiries to: Jess Lovett-Murray, Health Services Team Leader, on 55270064 or email [jesslovettmurray@windamara.com](mailto:jesslovettmurray@windamara.com)

A cover letter outlining the position you are interested in and why to be sent to: People and Culture Unit, at PO Box 42 or 21 Scott Street, Heywood, Vic, 3304 or email [peopleandculture@windamara.com](mailto:peopleandculture@windamara.com)

Closing Date: Monday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2021 at 5:00pm.

Winda-Mara Aboriginal Corporation has been funded for an Aboriginal Health Worker Trainee position through the Indigenous Workforce Traineeship Program.

The roles and responsibilities of this position are:

**Aboriginal Health Worker Trainee** – learn all aspects of the GP clinic and will also undertake a certificate IV in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care.

### Conditions of Employment

Trainees must be of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander descent

Trainees must complete a certificate relevant to the role

The successful applicants must provide a National Police Check and Working with Children Check prior to commencement of work

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