## **Expressions of Interest**



## Aboriginal Community Members Central Coast Local Health District Aboriginal Health Advisory Council

Expressions of Interest are being sought for two (2) suitably motivated local Aboriginal community members interested in participating in the newly formed Central Coast Local Health District Aboriginal Health Advisory Council

## There are two (2) positions available

Position	Purpose of Position	Enquiries and Applications to:
Community member position:  To participate as an independent Aboriginal community representative within the Central Coast Local Health District Aboriginal Health Advisory Council.	The Central Coast Local Health District (CCLHD) Board has endorsed the establishment of an Aboriginal Health Advisory Council to be a subcommittee of the Board and to provide advice, monitor progress and direction in regard to Aboriginal Health and CCLHD programs to improve health outcomes for our Aboriginal community on the Central Coast.  Dr Andrew Montague (Central Coast Local Health District Chief Executive) and myself as Manager Nunyara Aboriginal Health Unit would like to invite two (2) community members to participate on the newly formed Aboriginal Health Advisory Council.  It is proposed that this Aboriginal Health Advisory Council would meet 4 times per year providing advice and monitoring progress of the implementation of the CCLHD Aboriginal Health Priorities Plan 2019-2022, as well as the Districts responsibility in regards to the Central Coast Aboriginal Health Plan 2017-2020.  Note: All community members interested should apply; preference will be given to one Aboriginal elder and one Aboriginal young person dependant on application.  Essential Criteria:  • These are identified Aboriginal positions. Applicants must be of Aboriginal descent. Exemption is claimed under section 14d of the antidiscrimination act 1977. Applicants must be female - under Section 31 (2) (h) of the Anti-Discrimination Act 1977  • Resides within the Central Coast Local Health District region and has an interest in the health and wellbeing of the Aboriginal community.  • Demonstrated knowledge and understanding of the health issues that impact on the Aboriginal community across the Central Coast  • This is an independent Central Coast Aboriginal community member position. The applicant must demonstrate they are not employed or involved within the management, administration or a board member of any Aboriginal organisation providing services to the community.  • Be able to commit to meeting 4 times per year	Steve Ella Manager, Nunyara Aboriginal Health Unit, Central Coast Local Health District  2 Ward St Gosford. Tel: 43202698  Email: Stephen.ella@health. nsw.gov.au  Applications to be submitted electronically to email address above by 5pm Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> November 2019

Note: that dependent on the number of applicants, applications may be viewed on the basis of assessment of applications (i.e. there will be no interview). Applicants should therefore take care to ensure their expressions of interest address all criteria and include the names, addresses and telephone numbers of two (2) referees (preferably not family members).

Applications should be submitted electronically to <a href="mailto:stephen.ella@health.nsw.gov.au">stephen.ella@health.nsw.gov.au</a> by no later than 5:00pm Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2019 and succinctly describe the applicant's ability to meet the criteria of the position.