

### Registered Nurse, Community and Ambulatory Support Team

- Flexible start date. We welcome applicants who are looking at a new role starting Jan/Feb 2022 as well as those looking for an immediate change.
- Flexible FTE so you can maintain a work/life balance. Choose from 0.8, 0.9, 1.0. Rosters are prepared 6-8 weeks in advance so you can plan your home life too!
- Benefit from ample further education opportunities so you can continue your growth and development. We have 2 dedicated Clinical Nurse Educators on-site at Tōtara House to guide and assist you through your education pathway
- Enjoy free parking on-site at TH in beautiful surroundings away from the hustle and bustle of the city
- TH is a warm and welcoming environment. You can expect a comfortable and modern break out room, beautiful gardens to enjoy and an on-site café serving Jack's coffee and tasty and nutritious food made in the TH kitchen

### Te Mahi/The Role...

This is a permanent opportunity to join our incredible team of registered nurses who deliver exceptional support and services to our patients and whānau throughout the community of South and Southeast Auckland. You will have a base at Tōtara House where you will be part of a valued team and will be assigned a area within the community that will allow you to get to know your patients well.

You're not just a number here at TH and you will join a close-knit team who builds and maintains great relationships across the organisation.

TH adopts a holistic assessment and care planning program that is underpinned by a Te Whare Tapa Whā framework where the team collaborates in partnership with the patient and whānau. This wrap-around care ensures our patients are able to live their last years of life well and enables you to find joy in your work.

### Ngā pūkenga e hiahiatia - What we would like to see from you...

- A current New Zealand Practicing Certificate as a Registered Nurse
- Full, clean NZ Driver's Licence is essential
- Experience in completing full, comprehensive assessments
- Palliative Care/chronic long-term conditions experience is desired
- Exceptional communication skills that allow you to effectively liaise with other health professionals and multi-disciplinary teams
- Multi-cultural awareness
- Right to work in New Zealand

*Note: This role is covered by Government Orders for mandatory vaccination against COVID-19.*

### Why should you join Tōtara Hospice?

- **Our Purpose** – Tōtara Hospice provides leading edge palliative care services to patients and whānau to promote wellness and encourage a high quality of life for those living with life limiting illnesses
- **Our Culture** – South Auckland is a melting pot of ethnicities and cultures, and we are a workforce who reflect our diverse community. TH is also a member of **Diversity Works NZ**. We value diversity and inclusion and are committed to providing equal employment opportunities to those of all backgrounds and identities. We are also a proud supporter of the **Silver Rainbow** programme, ensuring the needs of the rainbow community in our sector are understood and met
- **Our People** - It is true that there is no 'I' in 'Team' and our nurses enjoy a supportive, fun, multi-disciplinary team environment. Respect is a word appreciated by all and we hold a zero-tolerance policy to bullying, harassment or discrimination in any form. This is a great career move and you will receive great support and encouragement to take opportunities that will stretch your nursing skills. This is demonstrated through financing generous nursing education hours, study leave, tertiary training and monthly professional supervision

- **Our Location** - Close enough to the hustle and bustle of the city, but far enough away to enjoy space and quiet, Tōtara Hospice is based in The Gardens area of South Auckland. Free, no hassle, on-site car parking in a great South Auckland location – no travelling into the city, and a fabulous on-site café!



*Tōtara Hospice as an organisation does not conscientiously object to anyone accessing their rights under the End-of-Life Choices Act when it passes into law in November this year. Our focus will remain, as it always has been, on delivering to the needs of our patients and whānau. We will respect and support patients who choose this option.*

If you wish to apply for this position, please send your application via SEEK by clicking the 'apply' button now. If you have any questions prior to applying, send an email to Andrea Lawrence at [andrea.lawrence@hospice.co.nz](mailto:andrea.lawrence@hospice.co.nz).

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