



Speech Therapist- Fulltime

About the Company

Bridges for Learning is a not-for-profit community organisation facilitating early assistance with child development for children 0-15 years with delayed development, additional needs or disabilities, including children with Autism Spectrum Disorders.

About the Role

Working within a transdisciplinary team of therapists including speech pathologists, occupational therapists, psychologists and special educators, you will be required to develop, deliver and evaluate evidence based, individualised services across a range of settings, working with individuals and their families. You'll be expected to build the capacity of families, care givers and the broader community, to develop the strengths of each individual.

Why work for us?

Bridges for Learning is committed to providing an organisational culture that values the unique skills that each member of the team contributes. As part of this culture we offer:

- Above award wages
- Tax free salary sacrificing
- Ongoing professional development opportunities

Key Accountabilities:

- Work in partnership with families to plan, set goals, deliver and evaluate programs and services including the development of an Individual Family Service Plans.
- Conduct and interpret a range of assessments and effectively communicate the outcomes of the assessment to families.
- Ensure programs and services are underpinned by Positive Behaviour Support strategies and practices.
- Empower families and assist other professionals to understand and promote strengths of each child.
- Work within a transdisciplinary team and collaborate with internal and external professionals.

About You

Essential Criteria:

- Degree or higher qualification in Speech Therapy.
- Eligibility for registration with Speech Pathology Australia and Medicare

- Sound understanding of contemporary, evidence based approaches to the design and delivery of intervention programs for individuals with developmental disabilities including autism.
- Knowledge, skills and experience with family focused and person centered practice.
- Demonstrated ability to work autonomously and as part of a team.
- Strong communication and interpersonal skills. Demonstrated ability to take initiative, prioritise, plan ahead, anticipate risks and problem solve.
- Current driver's licence and use of own vehicle. Current Working with Children Check and Police Check Clearance.

Desirable Criteria

- Specialised paediatric qualifications and experience.
- Current first aid certificate

Recent graduates are welcome to apply if they have at least 3 years' experience working with children in some capacity.

To Apply

Please send all applications via email to manager@bridgesforlearning.org.au

Only applications containing a cover letter addressing the role criteria and current CV will be considered for progression to interview stage.