

Private & Confidential

Sydney Health Partners Implementation Science Program Positions

2022 Expression of Interest (EOI) Guidelines

Sydney Health Partners (SHP) is seeking expressions of interest to work with us to provide academic leadership, and to manage and support our program of work in implementation science.

Associate Professor Nicole Rankin has provided outstanding leadership for the SHP Implementation Science Program since 2018 and her departure to Melbourne University provides SHP with an opportunity to both re-shape the program, and to further support the academic advancement of implementation science with our Partners.

At this stage we are seeking expressions of interest from suitably qualified and experienced individuals who would like to work with us. We have potential to support different types of appointments both in terms of seniority, and in the fraction of appointment (0.2-0.8FTE). We expect to make more than one appointment. Our preference is to recruit from within Sydney Health Partner organisations in the form of a secondment from a current position, but we would also be pleased to hear from others who have different employment arrangements or may have an interest in working with us from outside our existing Partnership. We are not in a position to fund a full-time appointment.

Those who have experienced career disruption or have relative to opportunity considerations (no time limitations) are welcome to submit an EOI. You should describe these considerations in a brief statement in your CV.

Background: Sydney Health Partners (SHP) is a NHMRC accredited Research Translation Centre (RTC) alongside nine other RTCs across Australia. Please refer to our [website](#) for further information. Sydney Health Partners' goals include building capacity and capability in the workforce and demonstrating that evidence-based interventions can be successfully implemented and scaled-up in large and diverse health systems. Our partners comprise four large health services (Northern Sydney Local Health District, Sydney Children's Hospital Network (Westmead), Sydney Local Health District and Western Sydney Local Health District), the University of Sydney and 11 medical research institutes.

The SHP Implementation Science Program was established in 2018 and contributes to SHP's vision to 'transform the way research improves patient care and public health in our health system' by accelerating the transfer of research innovations into health care improvements. Further information on the current program can be found [here](#). The roles we wish to fill are being created to provide academic and professional leadership in implementation science across SHP.

The Implementation Science Program currently includes an online Community of Practice (with over 600 members from across Australia); an annual conference including international speakers; regular Masterclasses and Workshops, annual pilot grant schemes and oversight of SHP's Research Translation Fellowship program.

Position Offering: Salary support ranging from 0.2-0.8FTE is available. It is anticipated that the successful candidates would maintain their substantive clinical or academic role where this is relevant. The positions will be funded initially until the end of June 2023 and renewable thereafter subject to agreement and available funding.

Eligibility: You must have demonstrated knowledge and experience in implementation science in an academic and/or health services organisation.

Selection process: You must complete the EOI form and demonstrate how your experience and career aspirations align with our goals of developing the academic discipline of implementation science and supporting the SHP Implementation Science Program. You should outline your longer-term aspirations as well as more immediate priorities for the next 12 months. The EOIs will be reviewed by a panel and assessed on the basis of the key selection criteria (responses to Section 2, Questions 1, 2 & 3 in the EOI form).

Suitable candidates will be invited for an interview. All EOIs will be treated in confidence.

EOI submission: You must submit your EOI and supporting documents via email by COB Friday 8th April 2022 to sydneyhealthpartners.snrprojectofficer@sydney.edu.au

Character limits in the EOI form must be adhered to. Late EOIs will not be accepted.

Notification: You will be notified of the outcome of your EOI in May 2022.

If you would like to discuss the opportunity in more detail please contact Tess Aungles in the first instance tess.aungles@sydney.edu.au