

## Chef

Warrina Homes Inc. – Aged Care  
Hospitality & Tourism>Chefs/Cooks  
Highbury, Adelaide  
Full time

**Our leading not-for-profit Aged Care Organisation is looking for someone with a passion for food to make a difference in the lives of older people.**

Warrina Homes was established in 1972 and is recognised as a leading Aged Care provider in the North-Eastern suburbs of Adelaide. Currently we are seeking an experienced, enthusiastic, and self-motivated Chef with a passion for working with the elderly to join our growing Hospitality Teams based at Paradise and Campbelltown respectively.

Guided by Christian Values, Warrina Homes provides person-centred care, based on individual preference and choice. This full-time role will also provide hands-on leadership to our catering staff, in order to achieve catering services excellence to the benefit of our residents and other stakeholders.

### **The successful candidate will demonstrate:**

- Promote excellence in all aspects of food preparation and the provision of a catering service.
- Experience as a chef in an aged care setting is preferred.
- Demonstrates the knowledge and understanding of the requirements of resident nutritional needs.
- A clear understanding of person-centred care, and individual choice.
- Proven ability to successfully work as part of a team and lead a team.
- A commitment to respect the values, customs, preferences and spiritual beliefs of residents and their family/representatives.
- Proven high levels of adaptability and flexibility including the ability to deal with change.
- A high level of organisational and prioritising skills and the ability to multi-task.
- A commitment to quality continuous improvement.
- A commitment to continual professional development.
- Ensure a relaxed dining experience for residents.
- Ensure compliance and adhere to food safety procedures to achieve quality food requirements.
- Supply chain management.
- Provide hands-on leadership, education, support and mentoring to the catering team, assisting in food preparation, serving and clean-up if required.
- Communicate and liaise with Residents to follow up any issues of concern or suggestions for improvement regarding their meals or dining experience.
- Experience in developing menus and preparing modified meals.

### **Essential requirements of the position:**

- Recognised qualification in commercial cookery.
- Previous experience as a Chef and Catering Assistant working in the health sector preferable.
- Ability to demonstrate respectful interactions that maintain the resident's choice, rights, and dignity.
- Valid Australian working rights.

- Excellent customer service skills.
- Current Flu Vaccination
- COVID-19 Vaccinations including Booster
- Current Aged Care specific Police Clearance

**The benefits to you:**

- Access to generous salary packaging benefits.
- Be part of a diverse and inclusive community where everyone's contribution is valued.
- A supportive and friendly work environment.
- Access to an Employee Assistance Program.

*Warrina Homes is a non-smoking workplace.*

Please refer to our website for a copy of the Position Description.

**A cover page and resume can be emailed to [recruitment@warrinahomes.com.au](mailto:recruitment@warrinahomes.com.au). Applications will be assessed on submission and may close prior to 25 June 2022.**

If you would like to have a professional discussion about the role please contact John Boland, Hospitality Services Manager, on 0408 624 547 or email [john.boland@warrinahomes.com.au](mailto:john.boland@warrinahomes.com.au)

We thank all applicants for your interest and advise that only successful applicants will be contacted.