

Thank you for your interest in applying to become a volunteer with Cancer Council Western Australia. We are committed to engaging with the community to help us in the fight against cancer.

Volunteer Position: Complementary Touch Based Massage Therapist – Midwest

Cancer Council WA has a commitment to providing people affected by cancer, their families and carers with support to enhance their feelings of wellbeing and quality of life. We are seeking a qualified Complementary Touch Based Therapist to administer Cancer Council WA approved complementary touch based therapy to people affected by cancer.

The Complementary Therapy program operates weekly or fortnightly and aims to offer a range of evidence-based complementary therapies, in this case Massage, to clients by appointment. This is an ideal volunteer role for someone with the skills and motivation to provide supportive care to cancer patients, their families and carers.

Under the guidance of the Cancer Support Coordinator, the main tasks and responsibilities will be:

- Comply with Cancer Council Complementary Touch Based Therapy policy, guidelines and protocols
- Deliver chosen therapy within this framework
- Meet time and duty commitments
- Complete consent and medical history client forms
- Respect client confidentiality
- Complete reporting documents
- Maintain regular contact with and provide feedback to supervisor
- Report concerns regarding client suitability or condition

Requirements:

- Diploma of Remedial Massage HTL 50307 that includes a unit in Working with People with Chronic Disease or equivalent post Diploma study or work
- Documented evidence of 50 hours of supervised practice
- Eligible for membership to a professional association
- Positive approach to the workplace
- Commitment to work within the boundaries of the role

In line with Cancer Council WA policy, WA Government Health Directions and Public Health Orders, Cancer Council WA staff are required to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19. As such, the successful candidate will be requested to provide evidence of their COVID-19 vaccination status prior to commencing in this role.

This supportive care program will operate at our Midwest Hub Geraldton weekly or fortnightly, on Monday or Wednesday mornings, for a minimum of 2 hours per week or 4 hours per fortnight. Hours are negotiable depending on demand and therapists' availability.

As with all Cancer Council volunteer roles, you will be joining our team in the fight against cancer and making a difference to the lives of people affected by cancer.

To apply for this opportunity, please email our People and Culture Team at volunteers@cancerwa.asn.au. Please include a brief summary clearly outlining how your skills and experience meet the requirements of this role.

With a Reflection RAP, and a commitment to "closing the gap" we encourage Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander candidates to apply.