

## POSITION DESCRIPTION

### 1. Organisation

Playology Clinic is dedicated to helping kids and teens become the best they can be. Our focus is on supporting the wellbeing and overall development of young people, helping them become the best that they can be. We want to create a world where every young person's voice is heard, valued, and celebrated.

#### Our Approach:

- Personalised support tailored to individual needs.
- Meaningful engagement to connect with each young person and family.
- Neuroaffirming philosophy that celebrates diverse minds.
- Respectful interactions marked by understanding and empathy.
- Family-centered approach, collaborating with parents and caregivers.
- Community-focused mindset, striving for positive impact beyond sessions.
- Inclusive environment where diversity is acknowledged and celebrated.

At Playology Clinic, we inspire growth, ignite confidence, and pave the way for a brighter future.

### 2. Position details

<b>Position title:</b>	Clinical Team Leader - Occupational Therapist
<b>Position purpose:</b>	Occupational Therapists at Playology Clinic are part of a multidisciplinary team, supporting the development of children and young people through the provision of specialised services including evidence-based interventions and comprehensive assessments.  This dual clinical/leadership role has been created to address the needs of our clients and team, including a collaborative multi-disciplinary approach to care.
<b>Reports to:</b>	Teigan Leonard (Director)
<b>Location:</b>	Playology Clinic, Croydon
<b>Employment Status</b>	Permanent Part-Time (Full-Time negotiable)
<b>Date Reviewed</b>	August 2024

### 3. Key responsibilities and duties

#### Leadership:

- Provide clinical supervision to small team of practitioners, utilising a strengths-based and reflective practice approach.
- Actively contribute to the continuing growth of the Occupational Therapy program at Playology Clinic, including program development, resources and stakeholder engagement.

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*Clinical:*

- Skillfully engage with children, adolescents, and families, delivering top-tier occupational therapy supports that help each person become the best they can be.
- Manage a diverse caseload with a focus on maintaining clinical care standards through assessments, collaborative treatment planning, impactful therapeutic interventions, and seamless integration with the client's natural environments.
- Where appropriate, build and maintain relationships with key people in a client's life to optimise service coordination and foster collaboration for seamless and consistent care.
- Actively engage in continuing professional growth within your own role, embracing supervision and participating in both internal and external development opportunities.
- Complete meaningful, timely and professional clinical record keeping and documentation.
- Work within legal and ethical obligations for excellent care.
- Exemplify the principles of Playology's approach to care.

#### 4. Qualifications and work experience

Essential qualifications/experience:

- Current registration as an Occupational Therapist with AHPRA, with minimum four years' clinical experience working with children
- Previous experience mentoring or supervising practitioners
- Ready to deliver exceptional services, including collaborating with those in a client's natural environment (e.g., home, school) to ensure the transfer of skills from the clinic to real life.
- Commitment to satisfying continuing professional development standards
- Current Working with Children's Check (Employee) prior to commencement
- Eligibility to work in Australia

Desirable qualifications/experience

- Experience working with young people in a range of settings, including their natural environments (e.g. home, school)
- Experience working within an NDIS framework
- Participation in professional development relating to best practice mentoring/supervision practices

Please note that Playology Clinic will complete reference and national police checks as part of the recruitment process. No formal offers can be made until these have been cleared.

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## 5. Personal qualities and behavioural traits

### Essential qualities/behaviours

- Passion for supporting people to become the best they can be (both clients and colleagues)
- Ready to bring on the fun and energy - we're all about creating vibrant experiences for our clients
- Ready and eager to provide top-notch services, including supporting those in a client's natural environment (e.g. home, school)
- Bursting with enthusiasm for hanging out with awesome kids and teens, ready to dive into their interests to make therapy meaningful and accessible
- Exemplify Playology Clinic's guiding principles of practice
- Possess a valid driver's license and access to a car, or alternatively, have transportation plans for safe travel between client locations where required.

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