

Registered Paramedics (Graduate and Experienced) & Emergency Registered Nurses

Casual wages + penalties, dependent on qualifications and experience



WHO WE ARE & WHAT WE DO:

St John Ambulance SA's mission for over 135 years has been to save lives and build community resilience to improve the safety and healthcare for all South Australians. We do this by providing a range of services including event health services and first aid assistance at community and major events, providing community care, as a licensed non-emergency ambulance transport service, deliver nationally accredited first aid training, community education and first aid products and equipment.

THE OPPORTUNITY:

Casual staff needed for immediate work at events, mass gatherings and venues across Adelaide.

Due to continued growth in the event sector, we are seeking to expand our Event Health Services team. Our event teams provide emergency medical care, routine primary first aid and health services to injured or ill persons at major recreational and sporting events across the State. No two days are the same, one day you may be working in a team of 25 at Adelaide Oval, in a team of 10 at a music festival, in a team of 2 at a motorsport event or a solo responder at a cultural event. Work opportunities are regular, but on a casual-work basis.

To qualify for this role, you must be experienced in an appropriate or relevant clinical setting and meet the following requirements:

Registered Paramedic (Graduate)

- Degree qualified from a recognised Australian tertiary institution
- Registration as a Registered Paramedic with AHPRA (unrestricted)
- Advanced Life Support certification (or willing to obtain)

Registered Paramedic (Experienced)

- Degree or vocationally qualified (e.g. Diploma) from a recognised Australian tertiary institution
- Registration as a Registered Paramedic with AHPRA (unrestricted)
- Completed a graduate year with a statutory Ambulance service or similar environment
- Advanced Life Support certification (or willing to obtain)

Registered Nurses (Critical Care)

- Degree or vocationally qualified (e.g. Diploma/Hospital) from a recognised Australian tertiary institution
- Registration as a Registered Nurse with AHPRA (unrestricted)
- Minimum two years post graduate experience in Emergency, Intensive Care, Aeromedical settings or Defence Force
- Current Advanced Life Support certification (or willing to obtain)
- PHTLS - Pre-Hospital Trauma Life Support, TNCC or similar trauma certification (or willing to obtain)

Ideal candidates who can demonstrate:

- Excellent customer service and interpersonal skills
- Excellent personal presentation
- Initiative and team player qualities
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- Ability to work in a team environment and autonomously
- Previous special event and mass gathering medicine experience is highly desirable

You must be fully vaccinated (with three doses of an approved TGA COVID-19 vaccine).

<https://www.covid-19.sa.gov.au/emergency-declarations/healthcare-setting-workers-vaccination>

**Positions available are offered on a casual basis with shift times varying across the week.
Most work is on weekend or weeknights.**

How to Apply

Click the APPLY NOW button and upload your CV and cover letter expressing why you are suited to the position.

Due to the large number of applications, please refrain from making phone enquiries regarding this opportunity. Questions can be directed to HR@stjohnsa.com.au.

St John SA does not accept calls from recruitment agencies.

St John SA care about keeping children and young people safe. All successful applicants are required to complete a National Police Check and Working with Children Check.

St John Ambulance Australia SA Inc.

Job and Person Specification

Paid Staff



Position Title:	Registered Nurse - Critical Care
Department / Function:	Event Health Services
Reports to:	Manager Event Health Services
Agreement / Non - EEA:	National Nurses Award 2010
Classification - Grade:	Registered Nurse as per Award with qualification penalties as applicable

Position Summary and Requirements

The Registered Nurse will provide first response clinical care, treatment and support for sick and injured persons in emergency and non-emergency settings as part of a multidisciplinary Events Health Team.

The Registered Nurse will accurately assess, advise and document patient health and treatment needs and determine and implement appropriate treatment in accordance with their respective clinical qualification, scope of practice and within the St John SA Clinical Credentialing Guidelines.

Key Relationships

Number of Direct Reports:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clinical support as required for Event Responders, Event Medics, & Ambulance Officers.
Key Internal Relationships:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Event Health Services Planners Event Health Services Coordinators Event Command staff
Key External Relationships:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Event (sporting and recreational) Managers & Clients

Key Accountabilities	Key Tasks	Measures
Patient Care	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provide pre hospital emergency and non-emergency care to the community during St John SA involved events. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Qualification and certification maintained as current

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work as part of a response to emergency and non-emergency incidents during St John SA involved events, making significant clinical decisions in varied and complex environments to provide clinical treatment and life-saving stabilisation to injured persons. • Conduct thorough patient assessments and obtain all information necessary to make appropriate clinical decisions consistent with the nature of the situation to manage patients, carers and relatives in distress. • Provide treatment for conventional and unconventional injuries and illnesses in a variety of situations and environments depending on the location of an event. • Administer medication and treatment according to relevant legislation, regulations and scope of practice to support the provision of the most effective care and treatment to a patient in an ethical and professional manner. • Deliver practical clinical decisions in the best interests of the patient within a framework of evidence based reasonable and professional judgements. • Provide appropriate support to patients and their families who may be experiencing loss and grief • Provide quality record keeping for current patient care. • Coordinate and liaise with SA Ambulance for transfers of patient/s and emergency paramedic support as required. • Work within the St John SA Clinical Practice Protocols 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintenance of tasks within scope of practice • Record keeping maintained to requirements as determined by St John SA
Operational Preparedness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Actively participate in the checking of patient care equipment and ensuring equipment is safe, clean and in good working order at events. • Operate medical equipment to provide patient care and treatment in an out of hospital environment consistent with scope of practice • Assist to maintain all equipment and vehicles in a state of readiness • Assist to ensure vehicles, equipment and medical rooms are kept clean and tidy at events. • Assist with the security of drug stock and drug recording whilst on duty and where applicable in certain locations. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Equipment maintained to required standards • Equipment used within scope of practice • Cleaning protocols observed at all times • Drug security and records maintained as required by St John SA
Professional Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintain scope of practice in line with St John SA credentialing framework. • Participate in online and face-to-face PD training 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Credentials maintained to required standard at all times
Workplace Health & Safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintain current Child Safety, Manual Handling and Infection Control Training • Ensure a safe and healthy work environment through compliance with WHS legislation and St John policies and procedures. Monitor and report on WHS arrangements in the learning environment • Follow safe and healthy work practices at all times, including reporting of hazards and incidents immediately, and referring WHS issues and requirements to manager 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work station self-assessment completed annually • Maintain compliance by completing all required training • Take a proactive and preventative approach to maintaining a safe work environment

Knowledge, Experience and Capabilities

- Experience working in the role of a Registered Nurse
- Experienced working in the following critical care settings: Emergency Department, intensive Care, Critical Care, Australia Defence Force, Aeromedical/Retrieval or industrial health setting

Personal Attributes

- Uses appropriate styles and methods/mediums for the particular audience
- Uses positive and inclusive communication techniques
- Gathers and disseminates information appropriate for the team
- Messages delivered are clear and articulate
- Influence and negotiate effectively

Qualifications / Certifications

- Registered Nurse- Full registration with the Nursing & Midwifery Board of the Australian Health Practitioner Regulatory Agency (AHPRA) - without conditions or limitations.

Essential requirements

- Current South Australian Driver's License class car
- It is a requirement you undertake and hold a National Police Certificate and a current Working With Children Check both of which are acceptable to St John, prior to the commencement of employment. Continued employment is subject to the maintenance of satisfactory checks.
- Will be required to undertake Child Safe Environments training within the first 3 months of employment.
- Holds a Australian Resuscitation Council (ARC) - Advanced Life Support level 1 qualification or willing to obtain through St John within 3 months of employment.
- Holds an appropriate pre-hospital trauma qualification e.g. PHTLS, TNCC, ATLS, Remote Area Nursing or willing to obtain through St John within 3 months of employment.

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Department / Function:	Event Health Services
Reports to:	Manager Event Health Services
Agreement / Non - EEA:	Ambulance and Patient Transport Industry Award 2020
Classification - Grade:	Paramedic per Award with qualification penalties as applicable

Position Summary and Requirements

The Registered Paramedic will provide first response clinical care, treatment and support for sick and injured persons in emergency and non-emergency settings as part of a multidisciplinary Events Health Team.

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Knowledge, Experience and Capabilities

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- Ideally experienced with a statutory ambulance service, Australia Defence Force, PTS or industrial health setting

Personal Attributes

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