



Grounds and Maintenance Employee - Aged Care - Full time

Longridge Aged Care are seeking Grounds and Maintenance employees to join our team.
Two positions available.

The Role

As a Grounds and Maintenance employee you will work for the betterment of the Longridge environment for all residents and tenants responsible for the safe provision of quality repairs and maintenance of the grounds and gardens to ensure the property is safe and well maintained. Your duties will include general duties such as mowing both by hand and ride-on, planting new greenery, regular pruning, maintaining machinery, (as instructed by the supervisor).

Key Requirements

- Maintain and develop gardens and grassed areas – including selection of appropriate trees and plants, preparation of garden beds, planting of trees and plants, establishment of grassed areas.
- Ensure high-level maintenance of gardens and grassed areas.
- Ensuring grounds are presented in a tidy and professional appearance.
- Undertaking minor repairs and routine maintenance of buildings and equipment.
- Responsible for some hard landscaping duties which may include paving, concreting & maintenance brick laying, carpentry & painting.
- Carry out general maintenance & repairs to all plant, machinery & equipment as directed and/or required, for LAC internal & external assets.
- Assist with set up and clearance of furniture/equipment for various LAC functions.
- Collecting supplies, delivering equipment for repairs or servicing.

Knowledge and Experience

- Qualifications e.g. Trade Certificate &/or Diploma and hands on experience in horticulture or a related discipline or willingness to work toward.
- An understanding of the technical features of plumbing, carpentry, and electrical systems.
- Ability to use a ride on mower or willingness to be taught;
- Exceptional communication and interpersonal skills.
- Ability to work & communicate effectively with a wide range of people.
- Sound understanding of the special needs of people who are aged.
- Computer & literacy skills.
- Current Police Clearance.
- Current Motor Vehicle license.
- Current Flu & COVID-19 vaccination as required.

Salary sacrificing is available - allowing you to increase your take home pay.

To be considered for this role, please send a **cover letter and a CV** to;
anikkerud@longridge.org.au outlining your experience and suitability for this role.