

## **IPU Team Leader – Hospice North Shore**

### **1.0 FTE (40 hours per week)**

Hospice North Shore is a specialist hospice and palliative care service which has been providing quality, professional and dedicated care to patients and families for over 30 years. The hospice is committed to a forward thinking and innovative approach to service development and collaboration.

We have two specialist Nursing Teams, the In-Patient Unit (IPU) and Community Palliative Care Team (CPC). The IPU provides short term palliative and respite care on-site for patients and the CPC Team work with patients, families and primary care providers within the community.

This role will be leading the IPU and will provide support to the CPC team when they require.

### **About the Role**

The IPU Team Leader will ensure the provision of specialist palliative care to patients and their families in the Inpatient Unit through leadership and management of resources, systems and processes.

To ensure day to day smooth running of the unit you will manage rosters, take an active role at multi-disciplinary meetings and case review or family meetings and developing or maintaining relationships with external providers.

This role is will see you involved in planning and implementing quality and service development initiatives right through to taking an active role in coaching and staff development.

### **About You**

You will be an experienced clinical leader in palliative care who is passionate about leading others through role-modelling, coaching and development. Your team is well established and full of Registered Nurses and Nursing Assistants who have a wealth of experience. The challenge will be to continue to grow and develop this.

The essentials:

- A current practising certificate with the New Zealand Nursing Council
- Post Graduate Diploma in speciality nursing practice
- Minimum Level 4 PDRP
- Ability to articulate evidence based nursing
- Experience managing budgets
- Current NZ Full Driver Licence

### **How to Apply**

For further information or a copy of the position description and hospice application form, please visit our website at [www.hospicenorthshore.org.nz](http://www.hospicenorthshore.org.nz)

E-mail your completed application form, cover letter and CV to [hr@hospicenorthshore.org.nz](mailto:hr@hospicenorthshore.org.nz).