# Specialist Trauma Counsellor

- Flexible work practices available
- Part time positions options to work from 2 to 8 shifts per fortnight.
- Mix of shifts including days, evenings & overnights

### About the Role

We are currently seeking qualified and highly experienced Counsellors with a passion for trauma informed care. The primary duties of this role are providing telephone and online specialist counselling to clients of the national 1800RESPECT line who have been impacted by domestic and family violence or sexual violence. The position works within an established national framework and requires the highest level of professionalism, ethical behaviour and compassion. This is a 24/7 service and we are currently seeking to fill a variety of shifts - Day, evening and overnight.

### About You

Applicants need a minimum of 3 years specialist counselling experience (phone counselling is desirable) supporting clients who have been impacted by domestic, family and/or sexual violence.

Other essential requirements include:

- Tertiary qualifications in Counselling, Social Work, Psychology or related discipline
- Eligible for membership with governing body of profession AASW, APS, ACA, PACFA
- Demonstrated ability to work within a challenging and demanding (although rewarding) work environment
- Commitment to a 24/7 service and willingness to work a variety of shifts
- Ability to attend 2 weeks training in Brisbane and attend training days/team meetings in Brisbane

# About the Organisation

DVConnect delivers a range of services including the state-wide crisis response service that operates 24/7 to meet the safety needs of those living with domestic and family violence anywhere in Queensland. In addition we also offer therapeutic interventions to support people experiencing domestic and family violence and/or sexual violence through a national telephone and web-based service across Australia, under the 1800RESPECT program also operating 24/7.

# How to Apply for this Job

- Review the position description
- Complete the selection criteria form
- Send completed selection criteria form, short cover letter and resume to <u>1800Recruitment@dvconnect.org</u> - Subject line Specialist Trauma Counsellor via Website (Application will be considered as they are received)

If you would like more information about the role please email <u>1800Recruitment@dvconnect.org</u> or phone Kathy on <u>(07) 3156 2341</u>

Please note those applications without a cover letter, response to the selection criteria and the right to work in Australia will not be considered.

We thank you for your interest in the role, however only those application shortlisted for interview purposes will be contacted.