



**GENERAL PRACTITIONER  
FOR PLACEMENT AT OUR UNIHEALTH PLAYFORD MEDICAL CENTRE  
LOCATED IN ADELAIDE'S OUTER NORTHERN SUBURBS  
FULL TIME OR PART TIME**

BE ENGAGED BY AN ETHICAL CORPORATE COMPANY  
PLENTY OF LOCAL & HEAD OFFICE SUPPORT

*Positions available from Jan 2017*

The Person

Adelaide Unicare is looking for experienced **Vocationally Registered** GPs who have a desire to work at a large multi-disciplinary practice.

Applications from **International Medical Graduates (IMGs)** with AHPRA General Registration will also be considered. However IMGs don't need to have completed their Medicare moratorium as the medical centre is located in an area which has been designated as a District of Workforce Shortage (DWS). The medical centre's relatively close proximity to the city of Adelaide makes it a very attractive location for IMGs who are seeking placements in DWS areas.

The Conditions

You will be placed at our Unihealth Playford Medical Centre. This is a modern, state of the art centre with all the facilities you could ever want in a progressive primary health care centre.

You will be engaged as an independent contractor. Under these arrangements Adelaide Unicare provides all services, facilities, infrastructure, nursing and administrative staff. The amount charged by Adelaide Unicare for the provision of such services is modest with doctors retaining approximately 70% of their gross billings.

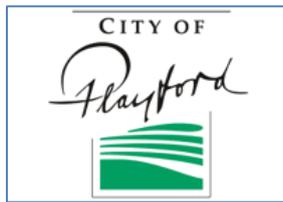
These arrangements mean you can focus on what matters most to you – your patients. Full time doctors can expect to **retain around \$250K to \$350K annually**.

Adelaide Unicare is committed to providing **work/life balance** and this role can be adapted to be a **full time or part time** position to suit your lifestyle. Some rostered weekend sessions will also be required but given the large number of GPs at the Centre the frequency of such weekend sessions on individual GPs is not onerous and is more than compensated for by time off during weekdays.

The Location

The Unihealth Playford Medical Centre is situated in the Adelaide outer northern suburb of Munno Para West approximately 45 minutes from Adelaide's Central Business District.

The local community comprises a wide variety of cultures and backgrounds with approximately 30% of the population having been born outside Australia. This variety offers a rich cultural mix of patient types and ages.



The area has expanded rapidly over the last 5 years and today boasts many large new housing estates, shopping centres, parklands, community and other sporting facilities. The local council is forecasting continuing growth in the coming years and such growth will lead to further growth in local businesses.

Transport is close by with bus links to all suburbs and with a train link to Adelaide's central railway station. The new Northern Expressway has considerably reduced the travelling time to the Northern area for those who are travelling from the western or near northern suburbs.

### The Practice

The Unihealth Playford Medical Centre is a modern, state of the art site of excellence in primary health care service delivery and health professional education, training and research. It operates with an integrated multi-disciplinary focus & as such brings together general practitioners, practice nurses, allied health professionals and local organisations to deliver primary health care that is tailored to the needs and priorities of the local community.



The Centre provides a strong focus on chronic disease prevention and management, as well as economies of scale in the delivery of high quality health care.

The Centre was purpose built to exacting standards with a grant from the Federal Government. It opened in May 2011 and currently comprises 10 general practitioners, 4 psychologists, 4 nurses & a wide variety of allied health professionals including psychologists, podiatrists, dieticians, physiotherapists & exercise physiologists. In addition it has a number of visiting medical specialists and on site pathology and radiology services.



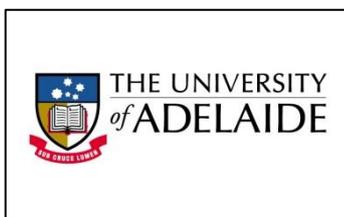
The Centre boasts the latest technical equipment, state of the art observation area for clinical research, teaching, education and training. It has 4 Treatment rooms, a lifestyle gymnasium and purpose built training kitchen for better education in healthy eating.

One of the Centre's primary aims is to teach and train future health professionals in General Practice within a fully working multi-disciplinary medical centre.

The Centre is fully accredited with AGPAL & is open 7 days a week. It offers after-hours consults until 9.00pm Monday to Friday.

The Practice has a key **teaching and training focus** and all doctors are required to participate in the supervision of medical undergraduates during their rotational placements

### The Company



Adelaide Unicare is a company which is 100% owned & controlled by the University of Adelaide. Our mission is to:-

- Provide quality patient care.
- Provide a quality teaching network for medical undergraduate, postgraduate and allied health professionals
- Facilitate research into general practice.

Currently we own & run 5 General Practices. Two of these are located in the Adelaide CBD, 2 are located in the northern suburbs of Adelaide and 1 is located on the Yorke Peninsula in rural South Australia. In addition we own a purpose-built Teaching & Training facility and an eHealth Business Unit.

We have strong ties with the University of Adelaide's faculty of Health Sciences which offers **ongoing networking, training and development opportunities**.

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### To apply

Please send you current résumé and a covering letter to the CEO, Michael Chalk at [michael.chalk@adelaide.edu.au](mailto:michael.chalk@adelaide.edu.au).