



## SCHOOL NURSE (RN) – Senior School Healthcentre

### Permanent part-time roster available from January 2025

The Southport School is a leading Anglican Day and Boarding School for boys situated on the banks of the beautiful Nerang River in the heart of the Gold Coast. Our boarding community, one of the largest in Queensland, prides itself on providing a home away from home for 320 students from 11 – 18 years old, and in doing so, provides a rich, vibrant, and rewarding working environment for our staff. Our Healthcentre team play an important role in our boarding team as they provide a 24-hour onsite healthcare service which provides essential peace of mind for our boarding families who, for many, are so far away.

Our Healthcentre team are now seeking experienced **registered nurses** who are passionate about adolescent health and welfare to become part of our team. We are looking for those super special candidates who enjoy working with and caring for young people and who will confidently provide a high level of care and support in the assessment of our students' needs on a permanent part-time basis. Confidentiality, discretion, empathy, compassion, and a good sense of humour are essential qualities in the delivery of our healthcare services. Importantly, candidates must be able to build rapport and communicate professionally and compassionately with our students' families and with our boarding community.

We are seeking candidates who might ideally have experience in sports injury management, wound care, and other contemporary adolescent health care issues including but not limited to mental health, diabetes management, respiratory and other chronic conditions.

We currently have the following, term-time, roster on offer:

- Monday's: 11.30am – 7.30pm
- Friday's: 11:30am - 7:30pm

Our School runs a very busy academic and co-curricular program year-round and so there is always an opportunity to pick up additional shifts to cover camps, provide relief cover for our team both on our senior and prep campus, and to help on sports days or at special events if required. We provide onsite bed-sit accommodation for our overnight on-call shifts and penalty rates are applied for Saturdays and Sundays

To be considered for the role candidates must:

- Hold full registration – Registered Nurses only.
- Recent pediatric/orthopedic/ER/adolescent healthcare experience preferred– minimum of 5 years.
- Strong administrative and record management skills.
- Enjoy supporting and working with adolescent patients and their families.
- Sports first aid and wound care experience highly beneficial but not essential.

Applicants are advised that they will be subject to a National Register Check, must provide a criminal history check certificate and the organisation will request that the candidate disclose any information relevant to their eligibility to engage in activities involving children and young people.

All applications must be submitted [online](#) by **4pm Monday 18 November 2024** and include your current CV and short cover letter outlining how your skills and experience are relevant to the position.

Any questions can be directed to the Healthcentre Manager, Ms Sarah Jessiman via 5531 9927.