

Expression of Interest: TSANZ Representative for the Transplant Australia Play Well Participation Grant Steering Group

We are excited to announce an opportunity for a representative from the Transplantation Society of Australia and New Zealand (TSANZ) to join the Transplant Australia Play Well Participation Grant Steering Group. The aim of the Steering Group is to help inform the planning and implementation of the 'Transplant Active Breaking the Barriers Program'. At the TSANZ Annual Scientific Meeting in Melbourne (June 16), Transplant Australia announced the program to elevate the importance of sport and physical activity in the post-transplant care model.

About the Play Well Participation Grant Program

The Program is supported by the Commonwealth Australian Sports Commission by investing in new programs that address the barriers to participation and increase involvement in sport and physical activity. The objectives of the Program are to support organisations to contribute to the following priorities:

- Increase involvement in sport and physical activity through the provision of inclusive and quality sport and physical activity experiences, and
- Address the barriers to sport and physical activity and provide more opportunities to be involved in sport and physical activity programs for those in the community who face the most barriers.

The Program is an initiative designed to enhance the quality of life for transplant recipients by encouraging active lifestyles. The steering group plays a pivotal role in shaping the program's direction, ensuring its relevance, and maximizing its impact within the transplant community.

Role and Responsibilities

As a TSANZ representative on the steering group, you will:

 Collaborate with fellow steering group members to provide feedback on the Program.



- Provide expert advice and insights based on your professional experience in transplantation.
- Act as a liaison between TSANZ and Transplant Australia, fostering a strong relationship and facilitating knowledge exchange.
- Attend quarterly steering group meetings and contribute to discussions.

Benefits of Participation

- Influence the development and implementation of a program that significantly impacts transplant recipients.
- Expand your professional network by working with leaders in transplantation and patient advocacy.
- Enhance your leadership and strategic planning skills within a collaborative environment.
- Contribute to the betterment of the transplant community by promoting health and wellness.

Eligibility Criteria

We are seeking a TSANZ member who:

- Demonstrates a commitment to improving the quality of life for transplant recipients.
- Possesses excellent communication and teamwork skills.
- Can commit to regular meetings and active participation in the steering group.

How to Apply

Interested candidates are invited to submit their Expression of Interest by **Friday 13**th **of September 2024**. Please include:

1. A brief personal statement outlining your interest in the role and how your expertise will contribute to the Play Well Participation Grant Steering Group.

Please send your application to Kim Rawson, TSANZ Project Manager. If you have any questions or require further information, feel free to contact Kim at projects@tsanz.com.au.

We look forward to receiving your application and working together to promote active and healthy lifestyles within the transplant community.