

A Day in the Life of an... Occupational Therapist

My name is Dan Williams and I have been working as an Occupational Therapist for almost 5 years. I have a newly found love for working in rural and remote Australia having lived and worked on Thursday Island and now Mount Isa.

What appeals to you about working at NWRH?

For me the most appealing aspect of working for North and West Remote Health is working with an amazing group of fun, energetic and passionate people who give their all in providing much needed health services to people living in rural and remote communities. Having opportunities to work with a diverse caseload across a broad section of occupational therapy is also a highlight of my job as it keeps every day interesting!

What does your typical day look like?

My core caseload is solely from within Mount Isa however there have been occasions when I have used Telehealth services to provide occupational therapy services to remote communities. I am regularly working with the whole allied health team from Physiotherapy, Speech Therapy, Dietetics and Psychology to ensure a holistic approach to my work.

What is one experience you've had at NWRH?

The social committee recently organised a before work breakfast at the Mount Isa Pub. It was great to see my workmates outside of work and get to know them on a more personal level!









