# **POSITION DESCRIPTION**



### Part A - Role Specification

| Role Title:                   | Claims Op  | timisation Lead                   | Date last reviewed: | March 2024        |
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| Business Unit:                | Insurance  |                                   | Department:         | Claims Operations |
| Classification:               | Banking, Finance and Insurance Award 2020, Level 6 CLC |                                   |                     |                   |
| Role Reports to (role title): |  | Senior Manager, Claims Operations |                     |                   |
| Direct Reports (role titles): |  | Nil                               |                     |                   |

### Unique Value Add (Succinct statement of why the role exists; the purpose)

- Develop and implement process and procedures to optimise operational service delivery across Claims, to support excellent member service and employee experiences
- Conduct analysis and provide insights, trends, performance data and make recommendations to optimise operating model, tools and adherence
- Establish methods to measure and capture failure demand, investigate outcomes, and recommend process and operating model changes to remove this workload

#### **Risk Accountabilities**

- Have a general duty of care; and are responsible for complying with requests from Senior Management with regards to the Risk Management Framework & Strategy
- Have a responsibility to comply with policies and procedures and to identify and report new risks, issues and any associated incidents to Management

### **Health and Safety Accountabilities**

- Takes personal responsibility for their own safety and that of others and ensures their work environment and practices are safe
- Perform their duties in accordance with the RAA Work Health and Safety and Injury Management Roles and Responsibilities Procedure specific to the defined level of work

| Key Result Areas (Outcomes of the role and the desired behaviours to be exhibited in the role) |  |  |  |  |
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| KRA  | Accountabilities (3 - 5 key accountabilities per KRA)  EG. Conduct analysis of the "Grade of Service" targets and provide monthly reports.   |  |  |  |
| 1. Service and Operational<br>Design   | <ul> <li>Identify and drive continuous improvement (CI) of Claims<br/>operating rhythms, routines and develop supporting tools and<br/>procedures to assist leaders and managers</li> </ul>    |  |  |  |
|  | <ul> <li>Maintain oversight of call, workload and process handling<br/>procedures and provide insights and advice on changes that<br/>will impact call drivers or claims workload</li> </ul>   |  |  |  |
|  | <ul> <li>Responsible for management of telephony system changes<br/>including IVR configuration, disposition codes and standard<br/>telephony user work practices and documentation</li> </ul> |  |  |  |

| 2. Operational Optimisation | Responsible for analysing operational performance and providing insights, and continuous improvement (CI) recommendations to the Heads of Claims and their management teams   |
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|                             | <ul> <li>Responsible for coordination / execution of approved CI<br/>recommendations using agreed business frameworks and<br/>tools</li> </ul>  |
|                             | Work with Project and Change leads, Operational leaders and other key claims supporting roles (Compliance, Quality, Reporting etc) to ensure alignment of CI initiatives with strategic objectives and Claims priorities  |
| 3. Data & Analytics         | Review data and system information to ensure customer<br>service centre practices are addressed, optimised and report<br>on inconsistencies   |
|                             | <ul> <li>Undertake deep analysis to support improved efficiency and<br/>member experiences, working with key areas of Claims</li> </ul>   |
|                             | <ul> <li>Provide input into the development of measurement tools<br/>which demonstrate the value added through all business<br/>improvements</li> </ul>   |
|                             | <ul> <li>Partner with Reporting and Workforce Planning analysts to<br/>ensure implemented changes are sustained through ongoing<br/>performance reporting, leadership and work force<br/>management practices</li> </ul>  |
| 4. Stakeholder Engagement   | Develop and maintain effective working relationships with key stakeholders across Claims and RAA with the purpose of developing a clear understanding of business needs and challenges, resolving conflicts and fostering a productive, collaborative and consultative work environment |
|                             | <ul> <li>Work with Project managers and Change leads to ensure<br/>project and optimisation activities are aligned and<br/>communication is consistent</li> </ul>   |
|                             | Regularly update key stakeholders to ensure timely and relevant communication occurs across the business  |
|                             | Support the maturation of Claims best practice service delivery by sharing relevant knowledge and information   |

# **Key Authorities** (A summary of delegated authorities needed to effectively fulfil the role accountabilities)

### Financial (Authorities to spend money)

As per RAA delegations of authority

# Technology/System/Process (Authorities to access and use IT systems, undertake certain processes)

• Access required to core Insurance system and other claims applications as required

## **Part B - Person Specification**

### Qualifications (Indicate whether mandatory or desired)

- Tertiary studies in Business Management or Operational Leadership
- LEAN or equivalent continuous improvement tools/techniques (desired)
- Certified COPC CX Implementation Leader or equivalent best practise management certification (desired)

### Skills and Abilities (Individuals capabilities, include level of proficiency)

- Solution oriented with excellent problem solving and decision-making skills
- Demonstrated high level of analytical skills and attention to detail
- Strong understanding of workforce management practices and principles
- Proven ability to analyse data to derive useful information and insights
- Strong communication skills, written and verbal (including visual presentations) to achieve stakeholder engagement and desired business outcomes
- Skilled in workshop facilitation and stakeholder engagement techniques

### Knowledge (Factual or procedural information needed to perform in the role)

- Thorough understanding of Service Design and process management
- Knowledge of LEAN Six Sigma improvement tools and techniques
- Understanding of quality management approaches

### **Experience** (The minimum amount of experience required to perform in the role)

- 5 years experience in Contact Centre operational leadership role or similar
- 3 years experience with implementing and championing operational excellence initiatives
- Demonstrated experience in project management techniques, methodology and life cycle (including Agile)
- Demonstrated experience in report development and data analysis
- Experience in highly regulated industries
- Experience in Insurance Claims industry (desirable)

### **Additional Requirements**

- Perform other duties as requested by management where generally consistent with this position and within level of competence
- Reasonable additional hours of work may be required during peak workload periods

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