

Build a Career with QBuild

Plumber/Drainer

ABOUT OUR POSITION

As a Plumber/Drainer in QBuild you may be required to undertake plumbing and drainage work in the following work areas:

- Maintenance
- Construction
- Refurbishment

If you want to know more about QBuild – visit our website www.qbuild.qld.gov.au

ABOUT THE PERSON

QBuild is seeking Plumber/Drainers with the following skill set:

- Current Plumber/Drainer licence
- Current Workplace Health & Safety Blue Card
- Ability to work alone or in a team
- Understands and implements quality control techniques
- Ability to exercise discretion
- Ability to complete paperwork required for plumbing projects
- Provides guidance and assistance to tradespersons, apprentices and trainees
- Understanding of AS3500
- Understanding of asbestos handling requirements

Additional qualifications that will be highly regarded are:

- Gas installers licence
- Backflow prevention endorsement
- Thermostatic mixing valve endorsement
- Restricted electrical licence – hot water
- Waste water management system licence
- Dual trade qualifications (eg electrical licence)

General physical capabilities required of this position:

- Wears personal protective equipment eg safety boots, ear protection, goggles, respiratory devices
- Ability to bend, twist, squat and work on uneven/sloping surfaces
- Ability to undertake manual handling within safe lifting limits eg ladders, pipes
- Capable of using hand tools and power tools correctly

Examples of work that may be required are:

- Roof work - repairs/replacements/new installations
- Water lines - repairs/replacements/reruns/new installations
- Live sewerage - repairs/replacements
- Gas - installation/repairs/replacements

If you are interested in a position with QBuild, job vacancies can be located at www.jobs.qld.gov.au



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Field Staff Entitlements

As a tradesperson or foreperson with QBuild you may be required to undertake work in the following work areas:

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GENERAL ENTITLEMENTS FOR FIELD STAFF

Wages

- 38 hour week – working 40 hours a week with an rostered day off (RDO) once a month (generally in accordance with industry RDO calendar)
- Fortnightly wage – paid directly into your nominated bank account
- Superannuation – up to 12.75%
- Nominated fortnightly deductions to institutions of your choice eg union fees, bank accounts, insurances, mortgages

Allowances

- Allowances – a single fortnightly payment (SFP), trade specific, consists of trade based allowances, includes fares/travel and tool allowances.
- Overtime and penalty rates
- Meal allowances
- Working in the rain penalties
- Country work allowance
- Remote area work allowance
- First aid allowance
- Weekend work allowance (fares/travel for working Saturday and Sunday)
- Excess kilometre allowance – for use of own motor vehicle for approved work purposes
- Unpleasant conditions payment
- On-call allowance
- District allowance

Leave

- Recreation leave
 - 20 days + 17.5% leave loading
- Sick leave – 10 days accumulative each year
- Long service leave – 1.3 weeks per year, accessible after 7 years of service, payable after 10 years of service
- Bereavement leave
- Emergent/Compassionate leave – 3 days per year (non-accumulative)
- Special leave
 - Extra leave for proportionate salary
 - Defence Reserve Forces leave
 - Disaster event leave
 - SES member leave
- Maternity and Paternity leave – up to 2 years
- Carers leave
- Meritorious sick leave – after 26 years exemplary service, conditions apply

Other

- Remote area incentives in nominated remote locations
- Housing rental assistance in nominated remote locations
- Transfer and Appointment expenses – includes furniture and vehicle removal, travel expenses for employee and immediate family members (including pets) to the centre of appointment

