

# LEEDS IRISH HEALTH & HOMES | care culture community

- Do you want to make a difference to the lives of isolated older people and people who needs support to remain independent?
- Can our core principles of Care, Culture and Community drive you to deliver a great service?
- Do you have personal and professional integrity?
- Would you like to work for an award-winning organisation with excellent terms and conditions who look after its staff?

If so then we invite you to apply to become one of:

## **CARA Project Support Workers (2 posts of 28 hours per week each) (3 year term)**

We require you to:

- Provide client focussed support for the benefit of socially isolated people living at home and/or in care homes
- Organise and deliver events and activities within care homes and encourage participation in community activities
- Work collaboratively with our volunteers in the delivery of all aspects of this service
- Ensure the service is delivered effectively, that it is efficient and sensitive to people's needs whilst addressing the outcomes required by the contract

We are looking for someone with:

- Excellent communications skills with the ability to positively engage and empower isolated and lonely older people
- A knowledge and understanding of the issues facing older people particularly with respect to the impact of isolation and loneliness
- Drive and enthusiasm in approach to your work
- A positive and "can do" attitude

## **Community Support Worker (21 hours per week) (12 months term)**

We require you to:

- Provide support to maximise the independence of people experiencing homelessness, mental health problems or isolation
- Provide client-focussed culturally sensitive support services for the benefit of vulnerable adult Irish people in Leeds.
- Deliver activities which improve the health and wellbeing of vulnerable adults

We are looking for someone with:

- An ability to demonstrate empathy, awareness and sensitivity to the needs of vulnerable members of the community.

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- An understanding of the policy areas in which the service is delivered and ability to adapt to changing agendas
- Drive and enthusiasm in approach to your work
- A positive and “can do” attitude

**All posts include starting salary £21,074 (pro-rata); 25 days holiday per year (pro rata) plus 6% contributory pension.**

For further information please speak with Karen Mallon, Director of Operations on 0113 2625614 or email [admin@lihh.org](mailto:admin@lihh.org)

Closing date for applications strictly 5pm on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April, 2018. Applications received after this time will not be permitted. No CV's

Interviews to be held w/c 7<sup>th</sup> May, 2018



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