



"Western Care Association exists to empower people with a wide range of learning and associated disabilities in County Mayo to live full and satisfied lives as equal citizens."
.... *Mission Statement*

ADVERTISEMENT

Applications are invited for the following positions

1. SOCIAL CARE WORKER*

ABBEYVALE RESIDENTIAL SERVICE, BALLYHAUNIS

CONTRACT 20.4 HOURS PER WEEK + SLEEP IN'S

REFERENCE NUMBER: 2020-41

The Social Care Worker will be required to deliver on the vision for people they are supporting. They will work directly with a number of adults, supporting them to gain valued social roles in their lives and participate in meaningful creative activities through developing appropriate supports and will advocate on behalf of the individuals with regard to their individual needs and preferences and support the development of Individual Plans for each individual. They will be required to build and develop capacity within staff teams and other supports to ensure the delivery and implementation of the supports.

2. SOCIAL CARE ASSISTANT

INDIVIDUALISED SERVICES INITIAL BASE HOLLYMOUNT

PERMANENT 24 HOURS PER WEEK + SLEEP IN'S

REFERENCE NUMBER: 2020-42

The Social Care Assistant will work directly with a young lady, supporting her to gain valued social roles in her life and to participate in meaningful creative activities through developing appropriate supports. They will advocate on her behalf with regards to her individual needs and preferences.

Applicant Profile & Qualifications:

- Relevant third level qualification in Social Care or equivalent (*minimum level 7 required*)
** applies to SCW post only*
- Applicants must have excellent communication skills, good leadership skills and ability to work effectively on an individual basis or as part of a team
- Experience of working with people with autism is desirable
- Resilience in working in the Community
- Experience of Individual Planning and the role of named staff/advocate
- Experience of working with people with a learning disability, autism and/or behaviours that challenge
- Understanding of HIQA regulations is essential
- Knowledge of petty cash systems, records management, IT systems, auditing
- Experience of medication management

- Full clean driver's license and use of / access to a car is required
- Flexibility will be required from time to time to respond to individuals needs
- Appointments are subject to Irish Garda Vetting and Overseas Police Clearance (*where applicable*)

Informal enquiries from Emer Dooley, Service Manager - Tel: 087-6532645

**APPLICATIONS MUST BE MADE USING WESTERN CARE ASSOCIATION APPLICATION FORM
AND FORWARDED TO HR@WESTERCARE.COM**

JOB DESCRIPTION CAN BE ACCESSED ON OUR WEBSITE AT WWW.WESTERCARE.COM

**CLOSING DATE FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS IS WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 23RD, 2020
PLEASE QUOTE REFERENCE NUMBER ON APPLICATION
Western Care Association is an equal opportunities employer**

INTERVIEWS WILL BE HELD ON 30/09/2020 VIA ZOOM