

Job Advert

Domestic Abuse Caseworker (Safe Haven)

We are looking to recruit two Domestic Abuse Caseworkers to join our experienced community Safe Haven Team.

Location: Bolton location with travel across the borough
Salary: £21,799 per annum full time equivalent + 3% Pension contribution
Hours: Post 1: 18.5 hrs per week over 3 days (salary £10,899)
Post 2: 25 hours per week over 5 days (maternity cover until March 2023, salary £14,729)
Some evening & weekend work may be required

Holiday Entitlement: 30 days per annum plus bank holidays

Closing Date: 28th January 2022 at noon

Interview Date: w/c 31st January 2022

Background

Paws for Kids (trading name - Endeavour Project) has been operating since 1997 and is an independent Organisation, a Company limited by guarantee and a registered charity affiliated to Women's Aid England.

Located in Bolton, Endeavour Project is a community charity supporting local survivors of Domestic Abuse to move on with their lives, prevent repeated abuse and the indirect or direct effects of domestic abuse on families.

Role Purpose

The main purpose of the Safe Haven Project is to:

- Provide trauma informed support to victims of domestic abuse to maximise their safety, independence and wellbeing
- To support these individuals and families to stay in their homes or to resettle in a new home and community.
- To support with access to other specialist support services
- To support the individual with developing problem solving and coping strategies, both in terms of practical problems as well as dealing with their emotions

The Safe Haven Project is open to any person who has been subjected to intimate partner abuse or family abuse with a person over the age of 16 years. The support is open to all sectors of the community regardless of gender, sexuality, ethnicity, age and background.

About You

The ideal candidate will have knowledge of domestic abuse and its impact on individuals and their children, as well as experience of providing emotional and practical support to victims of domestic abuse and violence with compassion and empathy.



The successful candidate will be proactive, have excellent communication skills and exercise high levels of integrity when handling confidential information and situations.

Fundamental to the role is the ability to work as part of a team and a commitment to providing a high standard of service.

How to apply

The Endeavour Project values diversity promotes equality and challenges discrimination. We encourage and welcome applications from people of all backgrounds. These posts, however, are restricted to women applicants only, due to the nature of the role. The Occupational Requirement as permitted under the Equality Act 2010, Schedule 9, and Part 1 Section 7(2) e of the Sex Discrimination Act 1975 applies. This post is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act.

Please feel free to email us c/o angela.gray@endeavourproject.org.uk if you require any additional support to apply for this role.

To apply for either post, please download an application form and job description from our website www.endeavourproject.org.uk or request an application pack by emailing Angela Gray at angela.gray@endeavourproject.org.uk please title the email 'Safe Haven application'.

The closing date for applications to be returned is **12pm Friday 28th January 2022**

We will be looking to hold interviews on **w/c 31st January 2022**

Please note if you do not receive a response within five working days from the closing date, then you have not been selected for interview.

Information

Paws for Kids is a Registered Charity no: 1084861

An enhanced DBS (Disclosure Barring Service) disclosure will be required for this role.

A current valid driving licence and the ability to provide a suitable vehicle for work with insurance cover for business use is essential.