



Job Description

Position: Dementia Support Worker
Location: Parkview House, Edmonton
Reports to: The Project Manager

Position purpose

- To assist in the care, support and supervision of service users to maintain and develop the life and social skills of each individual.
- To work on a shift basis, undertaking waking night duties on occasions as required by the rota.
- To plan arrange and carry activities

Principal responsibilities

Care and support of service users

- Administering medication after training
- Acting respectfully at all times, supporting service users to retain their rights, dignity and freedom to choose.
- Act as a Keyworker for nominated service users, including drawing up individual care plans and working closely with the individual's family, friends and the multi-disciplinary support team.
- Providing support and assistance to all service users as the need arises with a particular emphasis on personal and social care.
- Providing care for service users who are unwell.
- Assisting in the domestic activities involved in the running of the cluster.
- Participating fully and enthusiastically in all activities designed for service users.
- Maintaining professional boundaries at all times.
- Contribute towards a culture and environment which respects the dignity, independence and choice of each service user and acting at all times within the spirit of 2Care's Equal Opportunity Policy.

Administration

- Maintain records as required in relation to all service users.
- Assist in maintaining records as required of a Registered Home.
- Maintaining health and safety standards at work.

Other

- To undertake any other duties appropriate to the post.

Benefits

Starting salary:	£14,745
Annual salary review:	1 April
Hours of work:	Average of 40 per week (on a shift basis)
Annual leave entitlement:	20 days + 8 public holidays per annum
Benefits:	First rate life assurance cover, 3 times annual salary
Pension scheme:	Company pension after 12 months service (<i>final salary scheme</i>)