



JOB ADVERTISEMENT

Advance delivers nationally accredited, quality marked services in Hammersmith & Fulham, Westminster, Kensington and Chelsea. We work within a coordinated partnership response to domestic violence to provide independent domestic violence advocacy and support for women, children and young people and women's community services for women who are involved in the criminal justice system, in anti-social behaviour or are at risk of breaking the law.

Female* Outreach Worker – Multiple Support

Contract: Fixed-Term Contract until 30th November 2019

Salary: £24,000 - 28,000 per annum Inc. London Weighting

Working hours: 35 hours per week according to contract terms

Pension: Workplace Pension

Work Location: Westminster, Kensington and Chelsea and Hammersmith & Fulham

Outreach Worker- Multiple Needs

Outreach Worker – Multiple Support role is aimed at providing holistic support to multi disadvantaged women tailoring support to meet their needs, reducing risk and facilitating engagement with other services. This innovative project aims to engage women who are experiencing multiple disadvantage and domestic abuse by community outreach and support. To this end, Advance are working in partnership with housing agencies, mental health and substance abuse support agencies to deliver innovative cross sector work that will meet the needs of this hard to reach cohort of women

The post holder will work across Westminster, Hammersmith and Fulham, Kensington and Chelsea. The post holder will jointly work with other agencies to support service users and improve partnership responses. The post holder will have an excellent understanding of domestic abuse and its effects on women and children. The post holder will also have an understanding of specific needs affecting women with mental health issues, problematic substance use, offending history and long term homelessness.

The post holder will be skilled in risk management and safety planning, remaining calm in a crisis and in handling sensitive information on a daily basis. Experience of direct work with female survivors of domestic violence, of supporting women involved with Children's Social Services, substance misuse agencies, housing and mental health agencies, and of working within safeguarding procedures is essential for this post, as is the need to adopt and promote a strong partnership approach to service provision.

Advance is committed to equality and diversity and welcomes applications from all sections of the community. The post will be subject to an enhanced DBS check and is open to women only (*Exempt under the Equality Act 2010 Schedule 9, Part 1).

Benefits include 30 days holiday and a non-contributory pension scheme.

Closing date: Monday, 12th November 12pm

Interview date: 19th November

To apply please download the application form and Job Description from our website at <http://advancecharity.org.uk/work-for-us/>

Completed applications should be emailed to recruitment@advancecharity.org.uk or posted marked 'Private and Confidential' to :

Advance (BSU Recruitment)

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