

## Job Summary

### LD Care Assistant/Support Worker £9.65/hr

Would you like a new rewarding career or a change in role? In Caring Hands operates with a fresh approach to caring, benefiting both the service user and our team of highly experienced caring staff.

### Responsibilities and Duties

This fulfilling role involves the person-centred care of young adults with profound multiple learning disabilities and complex health needs in our new respite home in St Austell town and in the surrounding community. This role will involve personal care, light domestic duties and companionship including outreach working.

There are full and part time positions available in addition to relief work from our location in south central Cornwall. Full-time staff are expected to work alternate weekends as part of a rota system with your colleagues.

We particularly welcome applications from those with experience of working with clients with Learning Disabilities.

### Qualifications and Skills

#### Essential requirements

- Good communication skills, both written and verbal
- Ability for flexible working
- Full driving licence with a car (for community work)
- Caring nature
- Team working
- The ability to work positively, with good humour
- Willingness to learn to improve service delivery
- Take responsibility for actions and plan effectively to deliver results

#### Desirable

- QCF (NVQ) Level 2 in Health and Social Care or equivalent
- Full driving licence with a car
- First Aid certificate
- Experience of working with those with learning disabilities
- The ability to develop knowledge as required by the role
- Experience of working in a caring environment

## Benefits

We offer the following benefits and rewards:

- Paid travel time between appointments at normal hourly rate (where applicable)
- Paid mileage between appointments (where applicable)
- Carer of the month award
- Bonus for assisting to recruit a friend
- Company pension scheme