



Deputy Team Manager – Children’s First Contact Team
Children’s Social Services
G08: £44,428 - £47,420
County Offices, Flint
Permanent, 37 Hours per week

Children’s First Contact manages the input of referrals into Children’s Services. The referrals are checked for any safeguarding concerns and actioned accordingly line with the Wales Safeguarding Procedures, cascaded to the appropriate teams internally or passed onto our Early Help Service. As a Deputy Team Manager within Children’s First Contact Team you will be responsible for responding to all reports received, allocating accordingly or passing on to the relevant agency or internal team. The practitioner will be expected to liaise and work closely with other statutory agencies. You will join an established team that operate within our Children’s Services remit and will take responsibility for ensuring policies and processes are formulated and adhered to.

You must be a strong and motivated practitioner and have the vision and drive to deliver a range of high-quality, cost-effective outcome focussed social care, to children and their families, thus paying particular attention to risks associated to the child and their family. The team also complete Pre-Birth Risk assessments and Private Law work in the completion of Child Impact Analysis and Section 7 and Section 37 reports.

Working with a wide variety of agencies and professionals the role requires commitment, flexibility and a thorough understanding of all relevant standards and the Social Services and Well Being Act (2014) Wales. The role demands the ability to build effective relationships with social services teams and forge strong collaborative partnerships with other agencies.

Successful candidates must be registered with Care Council for Wales and will be subject to a Disclosure and Barring Services check. A driving licence is essential unless disability prevents the same. For an informal discussion please contact.

Jane Turvey (Service Manager) on Jane.L.Turvey@flintshire.gov.uk or Brigid Gribbin (Team Manager) on Brigid.Gribbin@flintshire.gov.uk

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