



Social Services for Adults
Service for Younger Onset Dementia Social Worker
Permanent, 37 hrs per week
Level 3 Social Work
Grade G06 (SCP 28 - 31) £39,152 - £41,771
Based at Ty Dewi Sant

Are you passionate about supporting and enabling people?

An exciting opportunity has arisen for an experienced Level 3 Social Work Practitioner in the Service for Younger Onset Dementia (SYD). We are looking for a candidate with experience of undertaking strength based assessments, with an ability to demonstrate innovative and creative solutions to ensure Flintshire citizens are empowered to have their voices heard, maintain their independence and achieve their outcomes.

The post-holder will have an understanding of early onset diagnosis and its impact on citizens, their families and carers, and be required to:

- work closely with the Younger Onset CPN and Mental Health Services
 - the locality Specialist Support Worker
- be actively involved in facilitating service user groups, to attend and develop wider support networks across Flintshire and North Wales.

The successful candidate will need to have a sound understanding of the Social Services and Wellbeing Act (Wales) 2014, Mental Capacity Act 2005, Mental Health Act (1983), NHS Continuing Health Care (CHC) and other relevant legislation, policies and procedures.

Covering the whole of Flintshire, the post holder will ensure the full involvement of citizens and carers in the assessment and care planning process. Effective communication skills including verbal and written, are therefore key to this role; as is having:

- the ability to create and maintain good working relationships
 - being a team player
- the ability to manage a varied and complex case load
- the ability to work with a variety of professionals / multi-disciplinary working

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The ability to speak Welsh is desirable.

Locality working means we are well placed to build upon positive relationships with health, voluntary and third sector agencies within local communities.

As this post results in substantial contact with adults at risk, the successful candidate will be subject to an Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check.

For an informal discussion please contact: Jo Thomas, Team Manager on 01352 701388 or Rebecca McGuigan on 01352 701301

The Council recognises that the ability to communicate in Welsh is an important and valuable skill in the workplace and is committed to increasing the numbers of bilingual employees. We welcome applications for any post from candidates who are able to work in both Welsh and English. We will also support new and existing employees who wish to learn Welsh or improve / develop their Welsh language skills.



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