



Bank Cover Worker

Archway

Job Detail

Ref: 791

BHT is looking for Bank Cover Workers to join the friendly team at the Archway service, which is a CQC registered care provider for those with enduring and complex mental health needs.

Archway is comprised of two residential properties in Hove.

Sackville is a 5 bed currently piloting a model called Step-Down which provides short term (up to 16 weeks), intensive support for people who are medically fit to leave hospital and need short term, support to develop their recovery and life skills so they can move on to more independent housing. This service provides double-cover, 24 hours a day. This is an exciting pilot scheme which will run until March 2023 with the option to extend.

Portland is a 9-bed residential service providing transitional placements for up to two years with the aim of helping clients develop skills to improve their mental health and wellbeing. Staffing is also 24/hrs a day including sleep in shifts.

Most clients move into Archway after time in hospital. We bridge the gap between hospital and the community by encouraging people to gain a greater understanding of what keeps them well, safe and motivated, as well as supporting them to move on to accommodation tailored to their individual needs in the future.

Our Clients:

- We provide accommodation and support for adults (18+) who have enduring and complex mental health needs.
- Our clients will often have experienced hospital admissions under section of the Mental Health Act and will join our service upon discharge.
- Our clients will have been assessed as requiring a 24-hour staffing provision, with sleeping nights between 10pm and 8am.
- When assessing our clients, we look for motivation to engage with a recovery focussed support plan to enable them to move on to more independent living in the future.

Our Approach:

- We adopt a person-centred and holistic approach to support; we want to get to know the individual and help them to feel empowered and able to lead on their own recovery with more self-awareness and confidence.
- We work to empower people through life skills development and goal-focused support planning so that our clients can maintain their accommodation and manage their mental health and wellbeing.
- We promote client involvement and a spirit of co-production to ensure those living at Archway have a say in how the service is run and support is delivered.

- We work in a psychologically informed way by applying our knowledge, skills and reflections to build a strong and supportive team and to provide compassionate care and support for our clients.

Our Aims:

- To take therapeutic approaches to build resilience and coping strategies to prevent hospital admission/re-admission.
- To enable our clients to achieve greater independence and move-on to less-supported accommodation within a two-year timeframe.
- To support our clients to develop an understanding of their mental health and to build a range of individualised coping strategies and maintain positive well-being.

Applicants should:

- Have experience of providing care and support to vulnerable people.
- Demonstrate an understanding of how to form trusting and professional relationships with clients.
- Place value in person-centred support.
- Be able to communicate effectively with a range of people.
- Have a supportive and empathic nature.

Salary

£10.68 per hour plus Sleep-In £100.53 (10pm to 8am), which is inclusive of Holiday pay at 12.07%. 5.5% employer's pension contribution (the level of this is reviewed annually).

Hours of Work

Applicants must have availability to work shifts on multiple days of the week, including weekends

Shift Details: This is an example and may vary between houses

- Early: 09:00-17:00
- Late: 12:00-20:00
- Night: 16:00-22:00 with a 10-hour sleep-in (22:00-08:00) followed by 08:00-10:00 the following day.

Based in Brighton & Hove

We offer:

- A paid induction
- Supportive management and team
- Positive working environment
- Opportunities for learning and development

Closing Date: Rolling Advert. No closing date.

Interview Date: To be arranged as applications are received.

We regret that we are unable to reply to every job applicant. However, if you are called for interview, you will be notified within seven days of the closing date.

We require DBS (Disclosure and Barring Service) Enhanced Disclosure check to be carried out on all successful applicants as a condition of employment.

BHT operates an Equal Opportunities Policy

PLEASE NOTE:

Archway is a CQC registered care home. The Government have introduced new regulations regarding working within CQC registered care homes. You will not be permitted to work at this service unless you are able to provide evidence that you have been fully vaccinated against Covid19 or can provide evidence of medical exemption before starting employment at Archway.