



MENTAL WELLBEING OFFICER

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Derby County Community Trust are looking to recruit a committed and experienced individual to join the Health department as a Mental Wellbeing Officer.

The successful candidate will deliver a comprehensive children and young people's mental health programme both in school and within local community settings, across Derby and Derbyshire.

Previous experience working with children and young adults is essential as the role will involve delivering a high-quality Early Intervention service to children and young people aged 5 to 17 years old. The service will offer a universal and targeted programme through class-based, small group work and 1-2-1 targeted sessions delivered by the post holder.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- To deliver a high-quality children and young people's mental wellbeing programme on behalf of the Trust.
- The ability to forms strong working relationships with schools and community practitioners to enhance the delivery of the programme.
- Ability to plan, coordinate and adapt sessions according to young people's strengths and ability both in school and within community hubs.
- To effectively deliver and develop sessions through clear action planning and implementation. This will be done in partnership with the Team Leader and other members of the Mental Wellbeing Team.
- To collect accurate data in accordance with the projects outcomes and data collection systems.
- To work closely with DCCT's wider Health department to improve the physical, emotional, and mental health of children and young people.
- Support with teacher training to ensure the Winning Minds Transition programme is embedded within the curriculum.

- To have a sound understanding and in-depth knowledge of children and young people's mental and emotional health and wellbeing.
- To work in both a school setting and a community-based setting to deliver high quality activity sessions, which include physical activity and focused based sessions.
- Ability to work in both primary and secondary school settings.

PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS AND EXPERIENCE

E S S E N T I A L

- A qualification in the field of children and young people's mental health and wellbeing.
- At least one year experience of working in the field of children and young people's mental health.
- Experience of working with Primary and Secondary age children and young people would be desirable.
- Experience of keeping up to date and accurate records on children and young people worked with.
- A sound understanding of safeguarding and reporting.
- Ability to work on own or as part of a team.

D E S I R A B L E

- FUNdamentals training/multi-skills training.
- Level 2 Fitness Instructing qualification.
- AfPE Level 3/5.
- Experience of delivering high quality classroom based and physical activity sessions to young people.
- Knowledge of the local landscape and environment around mental health and wellbeing.
- Effective communicator at all levels.

THE ROLE IS FULL TIME AND FIXED TERM FOR UNTIL DECEMBER 2022.

To apply for this role, please complete an application form, which can be found on our website derbycountycommunitytrust.com/about/employment. Please note that CVs will not be accepted without an accompanying application form.

Completed application forms and tasks should be sent by email to recruitment@dcct.co.uk or via post to; **The HR Department, Derby County Football Club, Pride Park Stadium, Pride Park, Derby DE24 8XL**

The closing date for receipt of applications is **Thursday 30th September 2021**.

As part of the Trust's commitment to providing a safe environment for children and young people, applicants should be aware that they will be required to apply for an Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) Criminal Record Check (CRC) as part of the recruitment process.

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