# Youth and Family Worker



## **Centre for ADHD & Autism Support**

2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Television House, 269 Field End Road, Eastcote, HA4 9XA Registered Charity Number 1080795

### 28 core hours per week (Fixed term contract of 1 year) Additional project work may be available on an ad-hoc basis

£23,296 per annum for core hours

Flexible working hours though evening/some weekend work will be required. The number of hours per week will vary depending on the timing of courses, so the 28 core hours per week is an average over the year.

#### 1. Role

Centre for ADHD & Autism Support are looking for a highly-motivated individual to join their Family Support team.

Established in 1996, this registered charity (1080795) supports individuals with a diagnosis of ADHD and/or autism, their families, professionals and the community. The role will look to improve the mental health of young people by:

- Providing specialist mental health support and giving practical advice to young people aged 11-25 with a diagnosis (or suspected diagnosis) of ADHD, autism and related conditions.
- Supporting the Youth Team on youth projects.
- Supporting the development of an ADHD/autism specific peer-led (i.e. young people delivered) workshop session promoting wellbeing and mindfulness in schools, colleges and youth services.
- To provide support and give practical advice to parents and carers of young people aged
  11-25 with a diagnosis of ADHD and/or autism or those undergoing diagnosis

#### 2. Equal Opportunities

CAAS is an equal opportunities employer and welcome applications from all suitably qualified persons, regardless of their race, sex, disability, religion/belief, sexual orientation or age. CAAS is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, young people and vulnerable adults and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The successful candidate will be required to undergo an enhanced DBS disclosure.

#### 3. To Apply

Contact Lynne Laverty or Therese Glynn on 020 8429 1552 or on enquiries@adhdandautism.org to request an application form.

Closing date for applications is Friday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2018 with a prospective start date in April.

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