JOB SUMMARY

Post Title	Support Worker (Nights)						
Job Family	Service Delivery	Pay Range	04	Line Manager to others?	No	Role profile ref	SD04
Service Area	Adult Social Care and Housing Needs						
Line Manager	Assistant Manage	Assistant Manager					
Location	Goulding's						

Job Purpose

To provide night care and support for the individuals who use our service in accordance with their identified individual needs, the Goulding's and Isle of Wight Council internal policies/ procedures, Legislative framework and Good Practice guidelines.

Job Context

- To provide waking night support including visual checks, physical/emotional support when required, monitoring and responding to medical incidents.
- To promote the care and support of the individuals in a way that promotes independence, human rights, individual choices, and inclusion in their community. To build on daily living skills by encouraging participation and preferences in choice and control over their own support.
- Undertake Support Plan recording to hight standard.
- Contribute to the daily maintenance of the home including cleaning, laundry, adhering to infection prevention control and COSHH guidelines.
- To attend daily handovers, ensuring awareness of any pertinent information in accordance with home policies/procedures.
- To undertake medication/key holder/First Aid and Fire Marshal duties. Full training will be provided, and competencies assessed prior to undertaking the above.
- Report all incidents/accidents as per the home and the Isle of Wight Council policies and procedure.
- To complete/attend all mandatory training. This may, at times, fall outside of your contracted hours and overtime payments and mileage will be paid for external events.
- Undertake any other duties that can be reasonably expected of your role that are required to meet the needs of the service.

Knowledge, Skills and Experience

Role Profile requirements.	Job specific examples. (if left blank refer to left hand column)	Essential	Desirable
Reliable, responsible.	Proven ability to arrive to work on time and be flexible to meet working pattern for the operational needs of the service	E	
	Show a positive approach, through self-motivation	E	
Awareness and understanding of the customer's needs.	Willingness to undertake training in healthcare needs	E	
	Ability to deal sensitively with service users in a variety of situations		D
	Some knowledge of and commitment to equal opportunities and non-discriminatory practice and an		D

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Qualifications			
Able to maintain accurate records as and when required.	Make detailed and accurate records	E	
	Access email communication		D
Practical knowledge of ICT systems.	Complete online Mandatory/Statutory Training courses		D
Basic literacy and numeracy.		E	
	Respond to instructions, guidance, and support in a positive manner	E	
Ability to follow processes, carry out and review procedures, record, and monitor information accurately.	Must be fully able to undertake the physical aspects of the job, to include supporting residents/service users	E	
	Show an awareness of empowerment and the effect of self on others	E	
	Ability to work as part of a team and use own initiative	E	
Ability to communicate clearly to build trust both one to one and with groups.	Ability to show or indicate the principles of individuality, rights, independence, fulfilment, choice, and respect	E	
	Knowledge of COSHH/Infection Control policies		D
Knowledge of relevant health and safety procedures.	Show a clear understanding of Health and Safety		D
Safe and competent use of relevant equipment / tools.	Use of moving and handling equipment		D
	Able to satisfy the travel requirements of the role e.g., full, clean driving licence		D
issues.	Experience of laundry work and domestic cleaning		D
Evidence of practical experience in an appropriate work environment and ability to advise others on relevant	A range of experience in care and support roles.		D
	Available to change duties at short notice, depending on need		D
	understanding of relevant legislations e.g., MCA and Care Act 2014		

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May require relevant certifications including evidence of fluency in English language.	Care Certificate/QCF 2 - or be willing to undertake.	E	
GCSE level qualifications or equivalent experience	Maths and English qualifications preferred.		D

Other Requirements

Enhanced DBS Check required

Organisation Structure (optional)

- Director of Adult Social Care & Housing Needs / Assistant Director
- Service Manager / Nominated Individual
- Internal Homes Team Manager
- Registered Manager
- Deputy Manager