

Person Spec

JOB TITLE: Falls Project Link Worker

LOCATION: 4 King Street, Blackburn

In your application form you should cover **each point** listed below, explaining what qualities, knowledge, skills or experience you have, to demonstrate **how** you meet the criteria requirements. **This is important as what you write will be used for shortlisting**.

No.	Criteria S	Essential (E) or Desirable (D)	Assessment method Application Form (AF) Interview (I) Presentation (P) Test (T)
1.	Ability to motivate and support older people to engage in new activities and services to maintain or improve quality of life	E	AF/I
2.	Ability to maintain confidentiality and understanding of and compliance with data protection	E	AF/I
3.	Ability to maintain accurate records	E	AF/I
4.	Excellent communication and interpersonal skills both written and oral	E	AF/I
5.	Computer literate, able to use Microsoft packages, email, the internet and databases	E	AF/I
6.	Excellent organisational skills and the ability to deal with changing demands of the service	E	AF/I
7.	Ability to work on own initiative and without close supervision	E	AF/I
8.	Ability to record accurate information and data and write case studies	E	AF/I
9.	Willingness to undertake training necessary for the role and in line with the organisation's mandatory training programmes	E	AF/I

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10.	A full driving license and access to a car	E	AF/I	
EXPERIENCE				
10.	Proven record of delivering successful programmes or services	E	AF/I	
11	Experience of carrying out assessments and providing support for older people or vulnerable adults	D	AF/I	
12.	Experience of managing and prioritising multiple tasks whilst meeting targets and deadlines	E	AF/I	
13.	Experience of working with health and /or social care professionals at various levels in health, statutory or voluntary sector	E	AF/I	
14.	Experience of working as part of a team	E	AF/I	
KNOWLEDGE				
15.	Understanding of the issues that affect older people and the quality of their lives including falls risk and frailty	E	AF/I	
16.	Awareness of the different needs of a diverse population	D	AF/I	
17.	Awareness of the services available for older people across Blackburn with Darwen	D	AF/I	

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