

JOB DESCRIPTION

Job Title:	Care Co-ordinator
Job Location:	Brunswick Village
Reporting to:	Home Care Manager
Responsible to:	Care Services Manager
Hours of Work:	35 hours per week
Pay:	£ 19,179 - £19,946 (plus extra for on-call duties)

PURPOSE OF JOB (as set out in the draft contract of employment)

- **a.** To work as part of a team and share responsibility for the provision of a flexible, responsive, home care service to older people within their own homes.
- **b.** To perform a wide range of duties, including recruitment and pre-employment checks for staff, maintaining staff rotas, ensuring visits are adequately covered etc
- **c.** To handle enquiries about the service in a positive and effective manner and to work with the Home Care Manager to actively promote the service in the local area
- **d.** To maintain office checks on compliance issues (as defined by the Home Care Manager) to ensure that our service meets with Care Quality Commission Standards
- e. To communicate effectively with home care staff, clients, carers and professionals to ensure that the delivery of care is smooth, effective and of a consistently high standard

TASKS

- **1.** To ensure that weekly staff rotas are established that offer a reliable and consistent service to clients.
- 2. To co-ordinate day-to-day changes within the service and to be responsible for ensuring that appropriate cover is provided for all visits
- **3.** To report observations and concerns with regards to the service users well being directly and promptly to the Home Care Manager.
- **4.** To communicate with clients and their families to keep them informed of any changes to their service provision
- **5.** To communicate effectively with the staff team to ensure the smooth running of the service.
- 6. To assist with staff recruitment and selection and pre-employment checks
- 7. To promote the service using various methods, to older people, their carers and to health and social care professionals
- **8.** To maintain compliance systems established by the Home Care Manager and in accordance with the standards expected by the Care Quality Commission
- 9. To undertake such training as may be required from time to time.
- **10.** To provide relief cover throughout the South Manchester area for other staff when required and to participate in the out of hours on call rota as required.