

Job Vacancy

This expanding and leading woman-only charity has an exciting job vacancy for self-motivated and passionate individuals interested in bringing about real change to the diverse communities we serve.

Job title: Youth Engagement Officer (Female)

Salary: £24,948 pro rota

Hours of Work: 30 hours per week, Monday to Sunday

Length of contract: One year's contract

This role is ideal for someone with experience in engaging and motivating young girls and young women living in poverty and at risk of/have mental health problems particularly those who have recently arrived as refugees, asylum seekers, or economic migrants, and are facing increased levels of psychological morbidity, especially PTSD, depression and anxiety. They face further barriers due to language and literacy difficulties, disrupted education, discrimination, issues with identity and belonging, and a lack of parental involvement. This includes low aspirations and educational attainment, mild-moderate mental health problems, and risk of exclusion from school.

Confidentiality, excellent communication skills, empathy, and a good understanding of safeguarding are imperative to this role.

Essential Experience:

- Educated to an appropriate level to be able to work on the project for young people
- A minimum of one year's youth work experience working in a variety of settings and using a variety of youth work methods
- A proven track record of achieving output and outcomes-based targets projects
- Previous experience working with NEET or vulnerable young people
- Experience working on one's initiative and within a team
- Experience in planning and delivering youth work programmes to young people
- Experience working intensively with vulnerable young people on a one-to-one basis
- Experience of working with young people from diverse backgrounds

It is an occupational requirement for this role to have a female (respective of post requirements) worker under the Equality Act 2010, Section 9 Part 1

Application forms can be accessed from WomenZone's website: www.WomenZone.co.uk/vacancies/

Closing date: Friday 19th January 2024, 5pm (applications received after this will not be considered)

Interviews: Week commencing 22nd January 2024.

All posts are subject to 3-month probation period and satisfactory DBS check.

We reserve the right to close vacancies prior to the advertised closing date and as such an early submission is advised.