# Part time Support Worker x2 (Weekdays and Waking Nights)

Matfield, Kent TN12

- Term time weekdays: Monday-Thursday 4pm-8pm & Fridays 3pm-8pm
- Term time weekday waking nights: Monday to Friday 10pm 8am

Two week rolling rota will run as:

Week 1 – (averaging 38 hours) – two days and three nights Week 2 – (averaging 29 hours) – two days and two nights

- School holidays 9am 6pm weekdays
- Double time for bank holidays

Flexibility can be given to days worked where agreed, providing that selected days of the week are covered.

Rate - £17.50 p/h

#### Are you interested in broadening your knowledge and experience in brain injury? Do you want to make a positive difference to someone's life? Have you a passion for development in care and rehabilitation? Whatever your background, join our team and help someone reach their full potential and live life to the max.

On behalf of our client, Head-First are recruiting two enthusiastic and motivated support workers to join an up and coming multi-disciplinary team.

The support worker will be able to provide care, support, therapy and supervision to a 8-year-old boy with a brain injury who lives with his family in the Tunbridge Wells area.

Your role will enable our client to live a healthy and safe life in his family home, maximising his rehabilitation potential, improving his quality of life and achieve desired goals.

He enjoys gaming, drawing, playing board games, trampolining, horse riding, learning about animals/space and soon will be having regular therapy sessions to promote his abilities.

As a support worker you will play a key role in facilitating these experiences, which will be directed by his team of therapists.

As part of your role, you will be able to take part in his rehab sessions which will help to promote, improve and develop your own skills, experience and knowledge base.

In return we can offer you a supportive work environment, full training and regular supervision.

# What does the role offer you?

- An extensive induction and training programme offering support and guidance every step of the way.
- Regular supervision/appraisal and ongoing support from the wider team and therapists.

- Opportunities to learn, progress and develop your skills in the role CPD actively encouraged and supported.
- Extensive and ongoing training will be provided in all relevant aspects of your therapeutic role.
- To work as part of a multi-disciplinary team.
- Relaxed, homely, and welcoming working environment where no two days are the same.
- Fully Covid risk managed environment, where yours' and the client's wellbeing are prioritised.

## What are we looking for?

- Passion and commitment for the role, with an opportunity to get to know our client and make a difference to his daily living.
- The ability to bring your own strengths and interests to the team.
- Flexibility and availability to provide cover for absences where required
- Ability to communicate effectively, as part of a team and on behalf of the client.
- Enthusiasm to support the client's participation in therapy and fun based activities at home.
- Assist in reaching the client's specific goals as instructed and trained by the therapy team.
- Up to date DBS at enhanced level paid for by the employer if you need to apply.
- A full driving licence is essential.

## **Occupational Requirement under the Equality Act 2010 for females only.**

To apply - send your CV to hf.cmateama@head-first.orgquoting ref: HF0763/06/24

A job description, person spec and privacy notice for job applicants can be downloaded from our website at <u>www.head-first.org</u>