



St Cuthbert's Hospice

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Job Vacancy



Children/Young Person Counsellor REF: CYP0622

Department: Day Services

Hours: 30 hpw

Salary: Scale 5 - £25,361 to £31,682 pro rata per annum

Contract: Permanent

Based: St Cuthberts Hospice

Children/Young Person Counsellor:

This is an exciting opportunity to join our Bereavement Service to identify and provide pre and post bereavement specialist support and counselling to children and young people experiencing grief and loss.

As a minimum candidates will be a registered member of BACP/UKCP and have post registration experience, eligible for BACP/UKCP accreditation. Candidates will be expected to demonstrate their experience of working therapeutically with children, young people and their families and have a sound understanding of children and young persons' needs in grief and loss. You will be a good listener and communicator having experience of working effectively in a multi-disciplinary team but able to work independently. If you believe in and demonstrate our values, want to make a difference and share our passion for the work of the Hospice then we would very much welcome an application from you.

For an informal discussion about this post please contact: David McLoughlin Day Services Manager on 0191 386 1170.

An application form can be found at www.stcuthbertshospice.com or to request a hard copy please contact the HR Department on 0191 374 6174 or email recruitment@stcuthbertshospice.com

Closing date for applications: 17th June 2022, **Interviews:** w/c 20th June 2022. If you have not heard from us by 23rd June 2022 please assume you have not been shortlisted.

Please note: we do not accept CVs.

This post is subject to the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act (Exceptions Order) 1975 and as such it will be necessary for a submission for Disclosure to be made to the Disclosure and Barring Service (formerly known as CRB) to check for any previous criminal convictions.

About us: St Cuthbert's Hospice, based in County Durham, provide free care and support to people with life-limiting illnesses, people approaching the end of life and people that are bereaved. We care for, laugh with, listen to, comfort and help make special memories for thousands of individuals and families each year. We are highly regarded for our quality of care and the first Adult Hospice in the country to be graded "outstanding" by the Care Quality Commission. Our 11 bedded palliative care In-Patient Unit provides individualised care planned to support the total wellbeing of each person, taking into account their physical, psychological, social and spiritual needs. Our Living Well Centre delivers a programme of support to enable people with life-limiting illnesses cope better with their health and wellbeing and support them to regain control of their life.

We value the contribution of all our workforce comprising of over 90 staff and a dedicated group of almost 400 volunteers. We are an equal opportunities employer and believe in treating everyone with dignity and respect, encouraging applications from all sectors of the community.

Our Mission: To make every day count for those affected by life-limiting illnesses.

Values: These define who we are and guide what we do to ensure the highest quality care for those accessing our services and the highest quality experience for staff working here. We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of adults at risk and children.

Why work for us: We are committed to making St Cuthbert's Hospice a great place to work supporting the provision of excellent services for the people of Durham. If you are ready for an exciting opportunity that will not only impact on patient care but will be motivating and rewarding on a personal level this could be the post for you.



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