

Recovery Builders
Salary: £23,400
Hours: 37.5 per week

We are actively seeking candidates with lived experience of substance misuse who are in recovery and are able to relate to and express natural empathy based on experiences.

Recovery builders will be motivated by the desire to help and support people to get to the other side of difficult experiences and to move forward in their lives through active listening and empathising around shared experiences and build an active recovery community.

- As a Recovery Builder you will have relevant lived experience of substance misuse in order to support others going through similar experiences.
- Share your lived experiences as appropriate in a positive way to create hope, aspiration and motivation to support service users to achieve their individual goals.
- Support service users to gain more control over their lives and identify the right resources for their needs that provide them with the necessary tools to build social networks to support sustained recovery.
- Create interventions and deliver meaningful activities to empower the recovery of individuals accessing the service that are experiencing substance misuse issues.

To be successful you will:

- Have lived experience of substance misuse
- Have a sound working knowledge of the models of recovery within substance misuse services in practice
 - Understand the cause and effects of substance use on clients, families and the community.
 - Be able to support service users on a 1:1 basis and in a group setting
 - Work in partnership with other agencies to achieve the best outcome for the client and the "wrap-around" services in the local area.

How to Apply?

Provide an A4 letter of expression/supporting statement to: recruitment@bacandoconnor.co.uk stating what you believe you will bring to the post and the reasons why you should be considered. Please note that CV's and application forms will not be accepted

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of vulnerable adults and we expect our employees and volunteers to share this commitment. This position is exempt under the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 and the successful applicant will be subject to a criminal record check from the Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS).

Having a criminal record will not necessarily bar an applicant from working for us; the nature of a disclosed conviction and its relevance to the post in question will be considered in all circumstances

We are committed to the fair treatment of our staff, potential staff or users of our services, regardless of age; disability; gender reassignment; marriage and civil partnership; pregnancy and maternity; race; religion or belief; sex; sexual orientation, marriage and civil partnerships, social class or economic status.

We actively encourage applications from individuals with a lived experience of substance misuse