

BON ACCORD CARE JOB PROFILE

1 Job Details	
Job Title:	Assistant Manager / Occupational Therapist
Job Profile No:	
Grade:	Grade 13
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2 Job Purpose

Throughout Aberdeen city you will lead, manage and supervise a high standard of person centred care and support for service users in a range of accommodation settings, including their own homes. You will lead and develop a team and service to promote good outcomes for service users and their carers.

3 Reporting Relationships

Manager

Assistant Manager / Occupational Therapist

Senior Support Worker / Occupational Therapy Assistant

4 Outcomes

The post holder will be expected to:

- Assess, plan, monitor and evaluate service provision on an individual and team basis to ensure positive outcomes for service users
- Lead the promotion and development of services to maximise the independent living skills of service users
- Work in partnership with family, carers, the Health and Social Care integrated team and any other agencies
- Provide leadership and day to day management, advice, support and guidance to team members in order to meet the needs of the service
- Provide and develop services for the specific needs of service users
- Ensure that all health and safety regulations are adhered to, including carrying out risk assessments and regular auditing so that a safe and secure environment is provided and maintained
- Ensure that services are delivered in accordance with relevant legislation, policies and procedures and national care standards and professional codes of practice
- Ensure continued professional development and maintain a professional registration
- Manage resources effectively including monitoring financial expenditure and ensuring compliance with financial regulations

5 Tasks and Responsibilities

The post holder will be expected to undertake a range of tasks as appropriate to the role and responsibilities. These may include all or some of the following but are not restricted to:

· Health and Safety

- Responsibility for monitoring and ensuring health and safety of staff, service users, buildings/community
- Take a lead role in the processing, notification and following up on Accident and Incident Reporting Forms
- Participation in ASP procedures and follow up on ASP Reporting Forms

Service Provision

- o Provide Personal Care and support as required
- o Assessment of service user needs
- Effective planning, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of plans to ensure service user needs are met
- o Reviewing referrals and prioritising admissions effectively

Staffing

- Supervision and Appraisal
- Workload Planning (arrange cover, shifts, allocation of work)
- Applying HR policies and processes including recruitment, managing leavers, absence management, counselling, performance management and disciplinary investigations
- Monitoring the quality of care and support provided
- Oversee the management of annual leave

Quality Assurance and Service Improvement

- Take a lead in quality assurance processes including service user engagement and outcomes
- o Development and improvement of the service
- o Take a lead in implementing audit action plans
- o Ensure compliance with requirements of regulatory bodies
- o Respond proactively and timeously to concerns or complaints
- Monitor quality of support plans and risk assessments

Other Responsibilities

- Key Handler training
- o Ensure BAC Policies and Procedures are promoted and adhered to
- o Report statistical information on service delivery as required
- Report writing
- o Organising, chairing and effectively contributing to regular meetings
- Ordering of a range of equipment and supplies

• **OT Specific** (in addition to those relevant above)

 Assessment and provision of adaptations including specialist equipment and major adaptations to promote independent living

6 Knowledge

The post holder needs to be able to demonstrate an understanding or experience of:

- The Health and Social Care Sector and the principles of providing care and support
- Current relevant legislation and best practice
- Assessments, reviews and support planning to ensure person centred outcomes
- Leadership, management and supervision
- Organisational and Planning Skills
- Office procedures including administration and using computer packages
- The needs of service users who require care and support; specifically recognising their need for dignity, respect and promotion of independent living
- The range of services and resources available in order to improve outcomes for service users

7 Grade specific skills and competencies

The post holder is expected to demonstrate:

- The ability to promote dignity, respect, choice, independent living and work in an antidiscriminatory way
- The ability to assess, plan and review and maintain and develop clear and accurate records including risk assessments and support plans
- The ability to communicate effectively and work in partnership with service users, staff, carers, families and internal/external professionals to achieve improved outcomes for service users
- An ability to lead and motivate a team, providing supervision, guidance and support to team members
- The ability to work autonomously and be accountable, while at the same time recognising when matters need to be referred to a more senior manager
- The ability to work accurately with detailed information
- The ability to manage priorities and meet deadlines
- A flexible and creative approach in order to manage resources effectively
- The ability to effectively use a range of IT packages including the use of Microsoft Office
- The ability to challenge and improve practice
- The ability to promote the safe moving and handling of both people and objects

8 Organisational Behaviours

The post holder is expected to display the following behaviours:

- Quality
 - o Ensure that the services offered are the best they can be.
- Integrity
 - Respect the dignity and diversity of all of our customers and staff and always uphold people's rights.
- Service
 - Communicate with and listen to our customers in order to deliver the highest standard of service.
- Pride
 - Demonstrate pride when working for Bon Accord Care

- Value
 - o Ensure services delivered give value for money and work efficiently.
- Innovation
 - Be open to new ideas and at the forefront of innovation in delivering care and enablement services.

9 Requirements of the Job

The post holder needs to hold as a minimum:

- Professional qualification in Social Work, OT, Nursing or other relevant subject
- Qualification required by SSSC or ability and willingness to work towards as role required
- SVQ Level 4 management qualification or equivalent as role required or ability and willingness to work towards as role required'
- PDA in supervision or willingness to work towards as role required
- Registration with relevant professional body
- PVG registration

The post holder may be expected to:

- Work to a shift pattern as required including evening, nights and weekend working
- Work at alternative locations as required
- Adhere to SSSC codes of practice, Bon Accord Care Policy and Procedures and relevant Legislation
- Lone work
- Travel to work locations in the city

10 Development

The post holder must have undertaken or be committed to undertaking the following mandatory training within a specified period:

- BAC Induction incorporating appropriate adult protection, people and object handling, customer care, food hygiene, infection control,
- Safe and legal training to Level 1 and Level 2 Role Specific
- SCIPr
- Effective recording and reporting
- Effective communication
- Training and other development needs as appropriate