

# JOB DESCRIPTION

Job Designation	Children's Residential Support Worker Waking Night
Salary	In line with Blue Mountain pay structure.
Reports to	Within the management structure of the home, ultimately the Manager

Main Purpose of Job	To be a part of a team offering a comprehensive residential service to children and young people, the aim being to ensure the physical, social and emotional care, and development of the young residents and the establishment.

## Main Duties and Responsibilities:

- To carry out duties in line with Blue Mountain homes policies and procedures.
- To ensure the safety and wellbeing of the children and young people through the night time period.
- To be fully aware of safeguarding and child protection issues.
- To fully understand the reporting process of child protection within the home.
- To understand the principals of safeguarding ones self.
- To have a full understanding of the emergency on call procedures of the home.
- To promote structure, boundaries and domestic routines within the home.
- Working in line with young peoples care and placement plans.
- To work in accordance with the National Minimum Care Standards for Children's homes and co-operate with any inspection process.
- Provide a positive role model for the young people, presenting yourself in a highly professional manner.
- Work in partnership with other agencies to the benefit of the young people.
- To ensure that the building is secured throughout the night time hours.
- Undertake relevant training programmes as required by the National Minimum Care Standards.
- Complete and maintain administrative records as required by the home.
- Provide and participate in leisure activities in line with the care and placement plans of the young people were required.
- Develop and maintain professional working relationships with colleagues, children and families



- Attend and participate in supervision and staff meetings as required in the National Minimum Care Standards.
- To work as part of a team with colleagues and other professional to meet the social, emotional, educational, health and mental health needs of young people.
- Awareness and responsibility for the health and safety of the home, children, young people, colleagues and yourself.
- You must co-operate with the Company in complying with the Health and Safety requirements and are therefore expected to follow Company policies, to acquaint yourself with the Fire, Health and Safety Procedures at your place of work and report any unsafe practices and conditions.

The post holder may be reasonably expected to undertake other duties commensurate with the level of responsibility that may be allocated from time to time. It is the responsibility of the post holder to comply with Health and Safety and Equal Opportunities requirements at all times.

### Additional Information

Our normal shift patterns are on a rolling rota basis, our shift working hours are: 22.00pm-08.00am shift patterns will mean days of working can vary from week to week.

All applicants must have a valid manual UK/EU Driving Licence.

We operate using Safer Recruitment at all times so any offer of employment would be dependent on the necessary checks and enhanced DBS.

#### General Statement

The above duties and responsibilities do not include or define all tasks that may be required by the postholder. The duties and responsibilities may vary without changing the general character of the duties or the level of responsibility entailed.

# **Equal Opportunities**

Blue Mountain Homes supports Equal Opportunities in Employment and opposes all forms of unlawful discrimination on grounds such as colour, race, nationality, ethnic or national origin, sex, marital status, disability, sexual orientation, religion or belief and age. You are expected to comply at all times to the Companies EO Policy and Guide to Equality document.

The above job description forms part of your Main Terms and Conditions of E and responsibilities at anytime.	mployment. The Company reserves the right to vary duties
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