



SOS KILKENNY Clg JOB ADVERTISEMENT CARE ASSISTANT

Job Title(s)	Care Assistant - Supporting individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder and Intellectual Disabilities
Job Location(s)	Residential Locations in Kilkenny City and surrounding areas
Reporting To	Residential Manager/Team Leader
Contract Type	Opportunities available for full and Part time positions.
Hours	Shift, Evening, Overnight and Weekend work are required in these positions
Salary	Care Assistant (Intellectual Disability Agencies) Grade
Role	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Work as part of the team with the line manager to ensure service objectives are met and reviewed so as to maintain, improve and develop the service• To manage risk in a systematic way that is embedded in a culture of safety, welfare and quality of life for residents• Supporting individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder and Intellectual Difficulties, ensuring that they achieve their full potential• Assisting with intimate care• Liaising appropriately with service users, their network of support, family members and other professionals where applicable, to ensure consistent planning• Working in partnership with colleagues and management to establish, maintain and monitor standards of performance for all aspects of the service, including the people we support involvement and consultation• Facilitation and support of individual programmes of meaningful activities• Supporting the people we support with regular exercise and outdoor activities• Key Worker Role
Personal Profile	<p>Education & Training:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• QQI Level 5 Major Award – Healthcare or similar QQI Level 5 Major Qualification <p>Experience:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Working with individuals with intellectual disability/ASD a distinct advantage• Experience in delivering low arousal approaches in a person centered environment <p>Knowledge & Skills:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Have a theoretical understanding of Intellectual Disability• Excellent communication skills with proven ability to develop positive relationships with a variety of stakeholders• Computer literacy <p>Competencies and Values:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Human Rights Based Approach.• Positive Attitude & Openness to Change• Effective Communication & Working Relationships <p>Additional Requirement(s):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A Full Clean Driving Licence
Application	Please submit your cv to recruitment@soskilkenny.com