Person Specification: Sustain – Community Support Practitioner

Essential	Desirable	Means of Assessment
QUALIFICATIONS		
A relevant professional qualification at SCQF level 7 or		Application
above OR equivalent knowledge acquired by other means		
EXPERIENCE		
Experience of person-centred support planning and		Application and selection
delivery		process
Experience of direct work with children and carers/families		Application and selection
with severe stress		process
Experience of working with children, young people and		Application and selection
parents/carers where child and/or adult protection issues		process
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VALUES		
Ability to demonstrate Aberlour's values of respect,		Application and selection
integrity, innovative and challenging		process
Ability to demonstrate the values and principles of		Application and selection
personalisation, collaboration, dignity, informed choice,		process
innovation, participation, responsibility and risk		
enablement		
SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE		
The post holder should have knowledge around the key		Application and selection
legislation, policy and practice, and key issues facing		process
children and young people in Scotland		
The post holder should be able to demonstrate knowledge of		Application and selection
person-centred practice, human development and learning		process
Communication – engagement, listening, verbal, and written		Application and selection
(including recording and report writing)		process
Proficient IT skills with a willingness to adopt and learn new		Application and selection

technologies and systems – this includes communication, collaboration, recording and office applications.	process
ABILITY TO:	
Engage and communicate at various levels to ensure shared understanding	Application and selection process
Design and deliver innovative fresh flexible approaches to Family support	Application and selection process
Manage own time particularly to ensure that records are accurate and up to date	Application and selection process
Be willing to learn from and with families	Application and selection process
Tailor approach to different families' needs and wants by being flexible, adaptable and creative in approach to work	Application and selection process
Be willing to engage effectively in training and learning opportunities	Application and selection process
OTHER INFORMATION	
As you will require to visit families you will ideally have access to a vehicle for work travel	Application