



Family Outreach Worker

12 hours per week – flexible working hours

Five-year fixed term, £12 per hour

Based in Llay Park Resource Centre with work across Wrexham

Closing date for applications is ...XXXX

Following the award of our Lottery Community Fund grant, we are thrilled to be able to offer the opportunity for someone to join our team as a Family Outreach Worker.

Your Space is an autism charity based in Llay Park Resource Centre, Wrexham. We offer a range of activities for children and young adults with autism and also support the family and wider community. Our friendly team of staff are passionate about the work we do and we value the wellbeing of all staff, volunteers and family members.

We are looking to recruit a Family Outreach Worker to support families affected by autism and related conditions, and help them to overcome challenging periods in their lives. This role will be fully supported by our dedicated and experienced team receiving full training.

This role offers the opportunity to gain valuable work experience and huge amounts of job satisfaction by having a direct positive impact on the lives of the families being supported. Often these families are vulnerable, socially isolated and suffer from mental health challenges due to not being able to access the support they need. The Family Outreach Worker will help them to increase their knowledge of autism and related behaviours, connect them with support services, provide practical help such as attending important meetings, and support them through the diagnosis and statement process. They will also work to create a support network of families in the community as well as combat prejudices and raise awareness of this condition.

Work will include visiting families in their own homes (accompanied by another member of staff). They will oversee the activities of a Volunteer Family Outreach Worker; mentoring and supervising them so that their knowledge and skills can be passed on.

We are looking for someone who has excellent interpersonal skills and a non-judgemental attitude. They should have experience of living or working with individuals with autism and passionate about helping others.

The ability to speak Welsh is desirable.

Please click on the link for the full job description.

If you are interested in applying for this role, please contact Rachel Hancocks, Charity Manager on 01978 856 859, or send an email to rachel@yourspacemarches.co.uk

Many thanks for your interest and we look forward to hearing from you.