



SOS KILKENNY Clg
JOB ADVERTISEMENT
CARE ASSISTANT

Job Title(s)	Care Assistant supporting individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder and Intellectual Difficulties
Job Location(s)	Residential and Day Service Locations in Kilkenny
Reporting To	Residential Manager
Contract Type	Opportunities for Full and Part time positions. Relief positions also available.
Hours	Max 39 hours per week - Shift, Evening, Overnight and Weekend work are required in residential 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">• FETAC Level 5 – Healthcare module or similar Level 5 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
Application	Interested applicants should e-mail an up to date Curriculum Vitae to recruitment@soskilkenny.com

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