Youth Support Worker – Ofsted registered services Role Profile



WHAT I AM ACCOUNTABLE FOR:

• Develop, implement, and regularly review personalized support plans that focus on young people's unique needs, strengths, and aspirations.

•Provide practical support for daily living, ensuring young people can live comfortably in supported housing by assisting with tenancy management, property maintenance, income handling, and addressing issues such as anti-social behavior.

• Facilitate informed decision-making by supporting young people to participate in house meetings and promoting choice and engagement in their living environment.

•Apply and maintain effective strategies to manage and respond to challenging behaviors consistently and constructively.

• Deliver a high-quality rent and service charge collection process, including monitoring accounts and maintaining proactive communication with young people about payments.

Support young people in accessing housing benefits and other entitlements, ensuring they can meet rent and service charge obligations.
Coordinate support from external agencies where necessary, fostering young people's engagement with relevant services and resources.

• Promote personal development and independence, encouraging young people to participate in activities that enhance their control over their lives.

•Manage the timely turnaround of empty properties, ensuring maintenance is completed, referrals are managed effectively, and new tenancies are signed promptly.

• Maintain accurate and up-to-date client records, ensuring confidentiality and compliance with Turning Point standards.

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•Ensure adherence to health and safety standards, creating a safe and compliant environment for young people and colleagues.

•Operate independently, making operational decisions and resolving issues while maintaining accountability to the team and Turning Point policies

HOW I OPERATE:

- I communicate effectively and confidently, with team members, our People We Support and key stakeholders.
- I am committed to driving the success of the organisation
- I treat all team members, and stakeholders, as valued individuals,
- I maintain respect and professionalism in all situations.
- I embrace change and am adaptable to changing circumstances
- Foster a positive, collaborative team environment

WHAT I NEED:

- Proven verbal and written communication skills with the ability to tailor the message to the audience.
- Collaborative team working skills
- Able to work flexibly
- Adaptable and able to work in a challenging and changeable environment
- Ability to deliver against agreed objectives/targets

Skills\Knowledge