

Advanced Practitioner Substance Misuse



WHAT I AM ACCOUNTABLE FOR:

- Carry a designated caseload of individuals with complex needs that may include mental health, homelessness, criminality, long term conditions, domestic abuse, sexual exploitation, self harm etc.
- Conduct assessments of need and risk assessments and formulate risk management plans and recovery plans that taken into account the personal recovery goals of the client.
- Effective partnership working with members of any multi-disciplinary team and other agencies and taking on the role of lead professional when appropriate
- Deliver interventions that are underpinned by a strong evidence base
- Participate in clinical meetings and complex case meeting and be confident and competent at presenting cases orally and through written reports
- Support the learning and development of Recovery Workers and Trainee Recovery workers, providing specialist input into Multi Disciplinary Meetings
- Provide professional supervision and mentoring to staff to support their development, learning and standards of care
- Being known as an expert in a designated specialism within the service (EG Dual diagnosis, Homelessness/complex needs, mental capacity)
- Delivering seminars/internal learning events and representing Turning Point nationally if required in your specialist area

HOW I OPERATE:

Values Led Leadership

- Maintain a compassionate, can do approach that supports making a difference in peoples lives
- Maintain a high level belief in our clients capacity to change and model a non judgemental approach
- Promote a culture of continual improvement through reflective practice, learning and effective team work
- Instil confidence in all partners/stakeholders by presenting a professional image
- Demonstrate professional curiosity in work with clients
- You act as expert, champion your area of expertise in your service and you share across the organisation
- Effective partnership worker who demonstrates they are able to works across organisational boundaries

WHAT I NEED:

Skills Knowledge

Essential:

- Exceptional report writing and case notes
 - Demonstrable experience in working within a substance misuse treatment and recovery setting
 - Specialist interest depth knowledge of one or more complexities along side substance misuse . This may be mental health, long term conditions, criminality, homelessness, Domestic Violence etc
 - Understanding of risk and risk management, as it applies to substance misuse and complexity
 - Significant experience of working in health and social care
- Desirable
- RMN; Social Work, psychology or other relevant qualification