



Saint John of God Community Services

Dublin South East

As part of Saint John of God Community Services, Dublin South East provides a network of education, training, employment, respite and community living supports to children and adults with intellectual disabilities in South Dublin.

Staff Nurse

Children's Respite Service

Permanent Part Time Posts (19.5 hours per week)

We are recruiting for the above positions providing support to children with intellectual disabilities in our Children's Respite Services, Angel's Quest.

This is an exciting opportunity for someone who's passionate about young children and interested in providing opportunities for children with ID to develop their full potential in a compassionate and child centred environment.

Sometimes families need a break and sometimes children need a chance to play with their friends and have a sleepover or a holiday. We have a purpose built children's respite centre on our campus in Glenageary, providing a welcome break for families, and fun and development for children. This is a hugely rewarding role for someone interested in working in a dynamic yet hospitable service.

This post provides therapeutic interventions, practical support, and nursing support where appropriate to meet the needs of the individual children/young people.

This post provides midweek day and evening respite, Hours would typically be;

week 1: Wed and Thurs 12-7, Friday 12-8

week 2: Mon and Tues 12-7 and Sat Sun 8-8 +8-8; on a 2 week rotate.

The successful candidate will:

- Be on the current register of the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland and preferably RNID trained
- Assessments for non-nursing personnel may be part of this role
- Have a strong interest and /or experience in working with children with an intellectual disability and their families.
- Excellent communication, teamwork, interpersonal, organisational and initiative skills.
- Understanding of POMS, Advocacy, Human Rights and Risk Management concepts.
- Have an in-depth knowledge and understanding of National Standards for Residential Services for Children and Adults with Disabilities and relevant legislation pertinent to support of children.
- Demonstrate sound knowledge and social model practice in support of children;
- Full clean driving licence and willingness to drive as part of role is essential

If you believe you have the necessary enthusiasm, competencies and experience to bring to this role, please forward your letter of application along with your Curriculum Vitae by email only to dserecruitment@sjog.ie quoting **REF:AQNURSEptAug2021**

Informal enquiries to Sharon MacKessy – Tel: 087 380 0120
Shortlisting will apply.

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Health and Child and Adolescent Psychiatry.***

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