



REFUGE SUPPORT PRACTITIONER (Female)

Permanent Contract

37 hours per week

**£23,990 - £26,487 per annum
(negotiable depending on qualifications/experience)**

Staffordshire Women's Aid is an innovative, award winning, charitable organisation that has been providing specialist services to those living with, fleeing, or recovering from the impact of domestic and sexual violence since 1976.

We are looking to recruit a Refuge Support Practitioner.

Staffordshire Women's Aid provides a range of high quality, safe accommodation, including a 12-unit purpose-built Refuge and 4 units of dispersed refuge accommodation within the local community, for women and children who need to flee their homes because of domestic violence. Referrals for our refuge include both self and agency referrals from within and outside of Staffordshire.

You will provide a range of practical and emotional trauma informed, recovery focussed support, responding to women's individual circumstances to increase their safety, well-being, and independence.

You will carry out risk and needs assessments and deliver one-to-one support, group work and a range of inter-agency responses to ensure the needs of victims and their children are met. Interagency working will include liaising with multiple agencies, in particular Police, Social Services, Housing, Benefits, Health, Solicitors, and schools.

This post is based in Stafford and will include hybrid working.

A full driving licence and access to a vehicle are essential requirements of the post.

To apply for the position, please visit our website www.staffordshirewomensaid.org where further details including application form, job description and person specification can be downloaded.

Closing Date for applications is 9am on Wednesday 4 October 2023

Interviews will be held on Tuesday 10 October 2023

This post is restricted to women due to the nature of the role. The Occupational Requirement under Schedule 9(part 1) of the Equality Act 2010 applies.

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