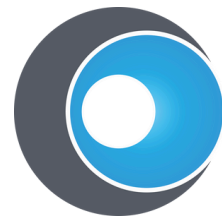


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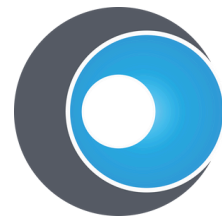
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## **JOB DESCRIPTION**

### **SUPERVISING SOCIAL WORKER**

Experienced supervising social worker, ideally with a PE Award, required to join a small but dynamic fostering team.

**LOCATION:** Covering North West office based in Fulwood, Preston

**SALARY:** Up to £40,000 per annum depending on experience

**HOURS:** Full-time permanent (37.5 hrs a week)

**WORK BASE:** Flexible office/home working, including no hot desking

**REPORT TO:** Registered Fostering Manager

#### **KEY REQUIREMENTS:**

In order to apply for this exciting position, we need you to have:

- A DIPSW or Degree-level social work
- This post requires registration to Social Work England.
- Evidence of Continuing Professional Development
- Post-qualification experience in statutory childcare services, preferably in Fostering
- Experience of working as part of a team
- Ability to use IT equipment and applications
- Excellent communication skills;
- Willingness to improve the practice of self and others
- An enhanced DBS check
- Right to work in the UK
- Driving Licence and access to a car

#### **JOB SUMMARY:**

To provide and deliver professional support, development, and supervision to foster carers whilst promoting the safe care and development of the children and young people we support in placement in order for them to achieve their full potential in terms of their physical, social, emotional and educational needs.

To contribute to the growth and development of the service and actively participate in the recruitment, assessment and development of prospective carers.

To work in partnership with LAs to match children and young people with high-quality placements where their needs can be met in a secure and nurturing environment.

You will be responsible for a caseload of around 10 Foster Carers offering support and supervision as well as undertaking Form F Assessments. You will additionally be expected to be involved in covering our duty service which is available during and out of office hours on a rota basis.

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- Flexible home and office-based working arrangements
- No hot desking
- Foster Talk Membership - An Employment Assistance Scheme that provides 24-hour access to advice and support
- Paid leave (30 days plus bank holidays)
- PE bonus for each student placement

**Fostering Ltd is committed to safeguarding** and protecting the children and young people that we work with. As such, all posts are subject to a safer recruitment process, including the disclosure of criminal records and vetting checks. We ensure that we have a range of policies and procedures in place which promote safeguarding and safer working practice across our services.

**We are an Equal Opportunities employer.** Fostering Ltd values equality and diversity and aims to ensure the Agency is reflective of the diversity of the children and young people within our care. In support of this commitment, we welcome applications from individuals of Black, Asian and ethnic minority backgrounds

If interested, please contact [ann.williams@fosteringltd.co.uk](mailto:ann.williams@fosteringltd.co.uk) to request an application pack or arrange a discussion with a manager about this role.