

# Job Advert

## Project Worker



Service:	Resilience
Location:	Ferry
Duration:	Permanent
Hours:	32h
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Application Closing Date:	1 <sup>st</sup> April 2023

NOVAS is a not for profit organisation and Approved Housing Body. We work with single adults, couples and families who are homeless or at risk of being homeless. We provide a range of support services and accommodation. We have over 300 staff, and more than 30 services in Limerick, Dublin, Clara, Kerry, Cork and Tipperary including residential homeless services, social housing and community based services for tenancy sustainment, homelessness prevention, mental health and recovery.

This is an eight-bed facility supporting clients with varying needs. Situated in a quiet rural setting, it permits clients time and space to address their issues. The service accepts referrals from various homeless services in Kerry, particularly the Kerry Homeless Information Centre. In Keshonee House there is an emphasis on providing support and accommodation for people who are homeless with mental health issues.

NOVAS is a Trauma Informed practice organisation and the principles of collaboration, diversity, respect and trust are embedded in our way of working together. Our services are provided through support of our partners in local government through the Local Authorities, HSE, and other donors and funders.

**Desirable Skills and Knowledge (Please see Job Description for complete Person Specification)**

- Professional Qualification in Social Care, Youth and Community Work or related Social Science Discipline, minimum level 7.
- Experience of working with homeless people or similar
- Commitment to low threshold and harm reduction approaches
- Excellent communication skills
- Ability to utilise IT systems effectively

We offer a competitive benefit package including 28 days annual leave pro rata, access to further education supports and contributory pension.

If you would like to work for us, an application form and job description can be found on the careers section of our website [www.novas.ie/work-for-us](http://www.novas.ie/work-for-us). If you require any further information or wish to submit a completed application form, please email [recruitment@novas.ie](mailto:recruitment@novas.ie)

