

Job Advert

NOVAS

Housing | Health | Recovery

Relief Social Care Workers

Service:	Belvedere House
Location:	Dublin
Duration:	Locum Contract
Hours:	Relief hours
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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, Ferris, Cork and Tipperary including residential homeless services, social housing and community based services for tenancy sustainment, homelessness prevention, mental health and recovery.

Situated in South County Dublin, Belvedere House is a six-bed residential service for unaccompanied minors from outside the EU, seeking international protection. It is a long-term specialised children's service, catering for minors between the ages of twelve and eighteen, and is the only such facility in the state.

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 in working with people who are homeless or other social care groups.
- Administrative skills for record keeping and report writing and computer literacy.
- Ability to provide services that foster and enhance the dignity, development and independence of the individual.
- Ability to communicate effectively with a wide variety of people.
- Understanding of the needs of vulnerable people with focus on the specific needs of young people.
- Knowledge of and a commitment to equal opportunities.

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

