

## Job Advert

# NOVAS

## Health & Wellbeing Worker Housing | Health | Recovery

Service:	Health and Recovery Services, MidWest
Location:	McGarry House, Limerick
Duration:	Indefinite Duration
Hours:	40 hours per week
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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, Clonsilla, Carrigrohane, Cork and Tipperary including residential/homeless services, social housing and community-based services for tenancy sustainment, homelessness prevention, mental health and recovery.

The Health & Wellbeing Worker is responsible for delivery of bespoke mental health and addiction support services, supporting NOVAS clients with complex needs as part of the Health and Recovery services. The Health & Wellbeing Worker will report to the Senior Health & Recovery Manager, will be a member of, and work collaboratively with, the Limerick SIA services. The role will require travel as needed, to other locations where NOVAS services are located. This role requires some element of flexibility and adaptability and the post holder is required to respond to and deal with emergencies but the usual roster for this role is 9am to 5pm, Monday to Friday.

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)**

- Level 7 degree or the NFQ in Social Care or another allied health profession.
- A thorough knowledge of and a commitment to working in the area of health and recovery, an understanding of the complex needs of clients that present with Dual Diagnosis and Co-Morbid needs.
- Full driving licence and use of own vehicle.

We offer a competitive benefit package including 25 days annual leave pro rata, access to further education supports and contributory pension.

If you would like to work for NOVAS, 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