

DEVELOPMENT LEAD

Flexible and home working options available

Are you **passionate**?
Do you write with **flair**?
Are you **proactive** and **self-motivated**?
Do you thrive on meeting **targets**?

Does this sound like you? If so, we need you in our team, to understand our game and play a pivotal role in the next stage of our journey.

Home-Start Aberdeen is a voluntary organisation committed to supporting families with children under five, who are facing a variety of different challenges in their lives. We currently reach out to over 200 families every year across Aberdeen city and there is an increasing demand for us to do more.

We train our own home visiting volunteers, who offer local families regular support, friendship and practical assistance, often helping them to avoid crisis and breakdown. Many of the parents who we support experience isolation and mental health issues.

In recent years we've successfully expanded our staff team and improved our base facilities, providing us with an increasingly professional presence and profile in the city.

We need you to help us to sustain our existing services, while keeping a firm eye on future imminent growth. You will identify opportunities and submit innovative bids to a range of funders to secure a minimum annual amount of **£500,000**.

Salary is negotiable. It is of paramount importance that we attract candidates with the requisite skills, background and attitude; flexible and home working options are therefore available.

A proven track record in researching, preparing and winning funding bids is essential. An ability to generate ideas for new and alternative projects to catch the attention of funders is also necessary in this highly competitive arena. Some knowledge of tendering and procurement would be useful.

If you are interested in this demanding but satisfying role, please make your pitch! Tell us, using no more than one side of A4, why the role should be yours. Please also include your CV and a note of your salary expectations.

Informal queries about the role can be made by contacting Georgette Cobban, Scheme Manager on 01224 693545. Applications should be emailed to gc@homestartaberdeen.org.uk

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Home-Start Aberdeen is committed to equal opportunities. Charity No: SCO12942

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