

Personal Independence Coordinators Roles Salary range £22,833 to £25,710 Full Time Equivalent set in accordance to skills and experience. 35 hours per week 12 month fixed term contract

Are you looking for a career change? Do you want a job that makes a positive difference in people's lives?

Age UK Croydon exists to make life easier for all older people in the London Borough of Croydon. We provide a wide range of services and activities and aim to help older people live as independently as possible within the community.

We are looking to recruit a team of health and care coordinators as part of a new service in Croydon, soon to be known as Personal Independence Coordinators (PICs). The PICs will work alongside health and care professionals, adopting a multidisciplinary approach to working with older people who have long term health and social care needs. The PIC will provide critical links between formal health and social care services and the wider community support networks.

Most importantly, we are looking for an approach to working with people that ensures that care planning is influenced by the wishes identified by those individuals so that independence can be either improved or maintained. The PICs will ensure that people have a stronger voice in relation to issues that affect their lives.

If you are passionate about making a difference to the lives of the people who use our services, and those who care for them and want to contribute to an organisation which is continuously striving to improve, then we would love to hear from you.

Full training will be provided; the important qualities we are looking for are

- Excellent communication and listening skills
- A positive attitude and the ability to problem solve
- A cheerful, friendly and out-going personality
- The ability to work flexibly, alone and as part of a team

For further information full application or а pack please email: executive.assistant@ageukcroydon.org.uk quoting the job title. application forms should be Completed signed and emailed

executive.assistant@ageukcroydon.org.uk. Please put your name and job role in the subject title of the email. Completed signed applications can be returned to our Brigstock Road office for the attention of the Executive Assistant. CV's **will not** be accepted.

Closing date for applications: 0900 hrs on 16th October 2017

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