

**JOB CODE: 6145**

**VACANCY: 5 POSITIONS**

**SALARY: £20,500.00 per annum**

**Job Title: Home Carer**

**Job Description:**

As a home carer, the candidate will attend to the personal needs and comforts of the elderly and the infirm with care and support needs of the 'service users' within residential care establishments, day care establishments or in their own homes.

**Job Responsibilities:**

- To assist and enable service users to undress, wash, use the toilet and bathe;
- To serve meals to service users at table or in bed, and assist with feeding if required;
- To assist with service users an overall comfort and well-being;
- To provide interest and activities to stimulate and engage the service users;
- To help with daily activities such as letter writing, paying bills, collecting benefits;
- To undertake light cleaning and domestic duties including meal preparation as required;
- To monitor service users conditions by taking temperature, pulse, respiration and weight, and contributes to record keeping;
- To liaise with professional staff in carrying out care plans etc;
- To be aware of the changing needs of a service user and to report these to the Line Manager;
- To assist service users with physical therapy exercises;

- To provide emotional support to service users;
- To act at all times, whilst on duty, in accordance with Uriel Care2u philosophy;
- To exercise responsibilities under the Health & Safety at Work Act 1974 and the policies and procedures of Uriel Care2u including fire, reporting of accidents and call out of GP/District Nurse/emergency services.

**Entry Requirements of this Job:**

<b>Criteria</b>	<b>Essential</b>	<b>Desirable</b>
E d u c a t i o n / Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NVQ Level 3 or equivalent care qualification or experience</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• First Aid Skills and an NVQ in Health and Social Care, Levels 2 and 3</li> </ul>
Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Experience of working in a similar role in a care environment</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Has traineeship or apprenticeship</li> </ul>

<p>Skills/Abilities</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Good personal care skills</li> <li>• Good knowledge about mental health</li> <li>• Good in companionship</li> <li>• Knowledge in meal planning and preparation</li> <li>• Good communication skills</li> <li>• Compassionate about the job, helping people on a daily basis regardless of their background, age or the issues they face</li> <li>• Ability in management, planning and team working</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Necessary training such as health and safety, first aid and moving and handling</li> <li>• Additional specific training such as autism awareness, communication skills or working with people with dementia</li> <li>• Excellent understanding of health, safety and cleanliness</li> <li>• to be able to carry out basic tasks on a computer or hand-held device</li> </ul>
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Personal Qualities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• D e d i c a t e d in personal life, job role comes first than other things</li><li>• Ability to take work pressure</li><li>• Friendliness such as being open and warm with the clients</li><li>• Attentiveness and sense of humor</li><li>• Can remain strong and calm during difficult times</li></ul>	
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