

About you

You believe in supporting people to achieve their dreams and aspirations in the workplace

Candidates from all backgrounds welcome especially with lived experience of the Criminal Justice System.

We are looking for people with a passion and drive to improve the lives of people with a learning disability.

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What you will do

- Provide on the job support to people, with a Learning Disability who have been in the Criminal Justice System or are at risk of offending.
- Provide tailored support and training to individuals or groups, ensuring they meet individualised targets and learn the skills they need to achieve and sustain paid employment.
- Guide clients in learning to complete job tasks and update records of progress.
- Develop positive relationships with employers and families with the aim of ensuring successful outcomes for the people we support.

What you will bring

- A positive attitude and enthusiasm to support people with a learning disability.
- Ability to manage different situations in a sensitive and timely manner.
- Strong communication and organisational skills.
- Professional conduct and the ability to be flexible/adaptable in different situations and workplaces.

Your experience

- Lived experience of the Criminal Justice system (D)
- Experience of supporting people ideally in a work setting (E)
- Experience in Training in Systematic Instructions - TSI (D)
- Experience professionally or personally with learning disability
 (D)
- A-C/9-4 English and maths GCSE or equivalent (D)



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More information about the role

- This is a unique opportunity to support people with a learning disability in work. You will work closely with other staff to ensure people achieve their employment goals.
- This role will be varied and a great opportunity for people looking to use their problem solving skills and remove barriers for people with a learning disability starting their journey into employment.
- A Job Coach is a vital role to support people to develop communication skills, confidence, wellbeing and the ability to interact with a range of others.

Join the team and be part of an organisation passionate about making the UK the best place for people with a learning disability to live happy and healthy lives.

What will Mencap give you

- A rewarding and challenging role where you can make a positive impact on the lives of young people.
- Passionate and driven colleagues that work to Mencap's values.

How to apply

- Please apply with an up to date CV that demonstrates your skills and experiences relevant for this position.
- If you require any further information please contact our Recruitment Team on 01733 246 699

Who you can expect to work with

People with a learning disability

External employers

Employment team colleagues

Families and carers

Local communities and services



Mencap's values and how they apply to this role

We are

Passionate

about making
the world a
better place

You will have a genuine passion for changing the lives of people and supporting their transition into work.

We are
Inclusive
of everyone

You will advocate for inclusion in the workplace and be a positive role model for the people we support.

We are

BrAVE

we challenge and try new things

You will encourage people to try new things and step out of their comfort zone, being brave when faced with challenges.

We are

Positive

in our work
and with each
other

You will highlight and celebrate how unique each person is. You will positively approach their journey into employment.

We are

Line

to everyone

You will be kind, supportive and encouraging to everyone you interact with.