

URGENT CALL

TUSLA ARE CREATING A REGISTER OF SUITABLY QUALIFIED STAFF WHO CAN ASSIST IN EMERGENCY SITUATIONS WITHIN CHILDRENS RESIDENTIAL SERVICES

ALL SUITABLE TUSLA EMPLOYEES ARE ASKED TO VOLUNTEER

Children's Residential Services requires staff 24 /7 to ensure we can maintain and sustain quality safe services to our young people. Given the additional challenges faced with the Covid 19 pandemic a number of contingency plans have and continue to be developed in order to ensure our services continue to operate efficiently. Part of our contingency plan includes the creation of a volunteer bank of staff to be available to respond in the short term in the event of a crisis with staffing levels due to Covid 19.

We recognise that we may need assistance in the months ahead in order to support and sustain these services for our young people. CRS staff are committed to ensuring that the services continue to operate full to capacity however we are also conscious that should particular challenges present with staffing numbers we will need the support of suitably skilled staff.

If an emergency presents we may need to call on suitably skilled colleagues from other sectors across the service to support CRS in the short term.

We ask that you consider this request and volunteer so that we can contact you for assistance, should the need arise. The bank of volunteers will only be utilised when all internal options have been exhausted.

Any help you can offer by volunteering to be available in the event of an emergency will greatly assist. Even one shift could make that difference!

We are now accepting applications from suitably skilled employees, as follows:

All social care qualified:

Not currently working as a Social Care staff in Residential Services

Note: Those who have previously registered as volunteers in March are asked to re-register for this bank of volunteers.

Please ensure that you have discussed and agreed this with your current line manager.

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