

Position:	Female Outreach/Support* South West Surrey Domestic Abuse Service
Salary:	£23,850-£26,500 (FTE based on 37.5 hours a week). Pro rata for 35 hours a week is £22,260-£24,733
Location:	Outskirts of Guildford, Surrey
Hours:	35 hours per week (Monday to Friday), 1 year fixed term contract
Closing date:	Thursday 12th August at 12 noon.

Do you want to make a difference to the lives of survivors of domestic abuse?

South West Surrey Domestic Abuse Service supports all victims and survivors of domestic abuse living in Guildford and Waverley. We are a member of the Surrey Domestic Abuse Partnership which provides support, advice and advocacy throughout Surrey.

With experience of helping those who have been affected by domestic abuse or other trauma, you will use your brilliant communication and listening skills to provide emotional and practical support to our adult clients. You will use your compassion and professionalism to deliver a service that ensures client safety and enables them to be empowered, improve the quality of their lives and develop and grow in self-esteem and confidence. The role includes providing risk assessment, advice, advocacy, safeguarding and liaison with other professionals for example Police, Social Services and Local Authorities

You need to be organised and flexible in your approach with a calm and reassuring manner.

You will be working 35 hours a week as part of our outreach team based near Guildford.

Why join us?

- Friendly, approachable team in a supportive environment
- Modern, comfortable office
- Travel expenses (mileage, parking away from the office while on duty)
- Free parking
- Paid holiday (including statutory bank holidays)
- Comprehensive training
- External supervision
- Workplace pension

You must have a driving licence and have access to a vehicle as some local travel may be required. This role includes giving 1:1 support and attending meetings in person within the Guildford/Waverley area. A strong commitment to equal opportunities and the potential to understand the needs and expectations of people from different backgrounds is essential.

How to apply

Please view the job description and person specification on our website for more information. To apply please send your CV and a covering letter to joanneh@swsda.org.uk by 12 noon on Thursday 12th August 2021. In your covering letter please include a paragraph on how your skills, experience and/or knowledge enable you to work effectively in this role.

**Because of the nature of this post it is only open to female applicants and is exempt under Schedule 9 Part 1 of the Equality Act 2010.*