

Job Opportunity

Housing Empowerment Worker - Hope into Action: Bristol

Caring – Encourager – Relational – Firm – Boundaried – Positive - Unflappable

Do some of the words above describe who you are? Do you have the passion and motivation to use your skills to support men and women to sustain their housing and thrive?

At inHope we are passionate about breaking the cycle of homelessness, insecurity and injustice. Alongside our existing services, we are now able to provide supported housing in partnership with local churches. We see housing as not just bricks and mortar but as a place that tenants can call home; a place and community where they are known, loved and able to thrive. We are doing this through a model called <u>Hope into Action</u>.

We are now recruiting an Empowerment Worker whose role will be to work with tenants – to empower them to live well and thrive; with churches – and their befriending volunteers; with the Hope into Action team – to oversee the house. This part-time role will oversee one house with 3 tenants, and will most likely be partnered with one church. You would not be alone but part of a national network of Empowerment Workers who can support, encourage and equip you for this role.



You will report to the Operations Manager for Hope into Action: Bristol. You will be confident working autonomously and managing your own time and workload. This work covers the Bristol region and you will need to travel to the house.

- Salary: £9,400 (based on a Full Time Equivalent of £23,500);
- *Part-Time: 16 hours per week the work pattern will be agreed with you and will need to be flexible.*
- Workplace pension with matched contribution of up to 5%.

inHope. is an established Christian charity with a broad support base that has been working in Bristol for 35 years. We are dedicated to helping those with life disrupting problems, such as food poverty, homelessness and addiction, to establish healthy and independent lives.

There is an Occupational Requirement for this role to be filled by a Christian. We particularly encourage applications from Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic (BAME) candidates as people from these groups are underrepresented within our team. Our Statement of Faith, Vision and Values and our Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Policy are available upon request and online at <u>www.inhope.uk</u>. The successful applicant will be required to complete an Enhanced, with Barred List, Disclosure and Barring Service check (DBS) prior to confirmation of appointment.

The Job Information, Job Description and application form are available to download from our website at <u>https://inhope.uk/get-involved/work-with-us/</u> or can be requested by contacting <u>admin@inhope.uk</u>

To discuss the role further, please contact Cathy Knowles, Operations Manager via <u>Cathy.Knowles@hopeintoaction.org.uk</u>.

Interviews will be scheduled as soon as we have a suitable range of applications; please apply NOW.

Applications, via an application form, must be sent to: <u>HR@inhope.uk</u>. CVs may be submitted <u>but only in</u> <u>support of the application form</u>.

Contact from recruitment agencies or online platforms in relation to promoting this vacancy will not be responded to.