

Job Description: Post-19 Instructor

SALARY SCALE:	£23,070 – £28,927
HOURS:	37.5 hours per week. 5 days per week.
TYPE	Full, Permanent
ACCOUNTABLE TO:	Head of Post-19
REPORTS TO:	Behaviour Analyst
LOCATION:	<i>14 Enterprise Way, London SW18 1FZ 1 Enterprise Way, London, SW18 1GA 2 Margravine Way, London, W6 8HJ</i>
PROBATIONARY PERIOD:	Six months
HOLIDAY:	The service year for students is approximately 40 weeks.
SICK PAY:	In accordance with the BeyondAutism Sickness Absence Policy.
LINE MANAGEMENT OF:	Teaching and Learning Mentors

About BeyondAutism

BeyondAutism is a charity with a vision that everyone with autism accesses an education which empowers a life full of choice, independence and opportunity. We run outstanding educational services for autistic children and young adults aged 15 months to 25 years as well as providing Outreach and Training services for parents, carers and professionals. Our Research and Learning hub is a conduit for sharing great practice, for problem solving through research and for inspiring learning across the globe.

Job Purpose

The role involves supporting a young adult in our Post-19 service and out in the community. Working with a team, you will provide excellent support using the methods of Behaviour Analysis teaching to an autistic young adult and associated learning difficulties. You will support the Teaching and Learning Mentors in ensuring the daily needs of our students are met in a professional, competent, safe and fun environment within our Post-19 service. You will need to follow the principles of Behaviour Analysis to enable the students to access learning in a way that allows them to learn new skills at their own pace. Further training on Behaviour Analysis in an adult setting will be given to the successful candidate.

KEY TASKS:

Leadership, Management and Training

- To be part of the service's Middle Leadership Team and support the Behaviour Analyst in delivering outstanding education and care for our students.
- To be committed to the charity values of:
 - Dedicated to delivering excellence;
 - Respectful;
 - Committed to Behaviour Analysis;
 - & Proud to Challenge.
- Promote inclusion within the community, by establishing and maintaining professional relationships with partners.
- To line manage, train and support new and existing Teaching and Learning Mentors in their role.
- To ensure new Teaching and Learning Mentors complete an effective induction and probationary period, with the right support and guidance.
- Training staff to be effective key workers, ensuring there are appropriate targets, resources and data.
- To carry out teaching observations with the guidance of the Behaviour Analyst, including delivering written and verbal feedback.
- To deliver individual, group and whole service training, including stakeholder training.
- To contribute to the Self Assessment Report (SAR), Quality Improvement Plan and organisational strategy as required.
- To deputise for the Behaviour Analyst in their absence.
- To cover Teaching and Learning Mentors in their absence where necessary.
- With the Behaviour Analyst, manage staffing arrangements for Mentor allocation; break, lunch and snack schedules.
- With the Behaviour Analyst, coordinate work experience placements, including risk assessments and pre-site visits.
- Write, review and implement risk assessments for individuals, groups, locations and trips.
- Contribute to multidisciplinary meetings, both internally and externally as required.
- Lead on group trips and visits as required.
- To monitor attendance daily, using the Schoolpod and raise concerns in line with the Safeguarding Adults Policy and Procedure.
- Ensure effective communication with both on site and off site working, using the Lone Working Policy.
- Supporting effective running of the transport plan at the start and end of day.

Key tasks: Teaching and Learning

- Be a source of expertise in behaviour analysis principles and assist in the professional development of colleagues.
- With the Behaviour Analyst, establish a student's 'Ideal Week' and design and implement timetables for individual students.
- Ensure sessions delivered by Teaching and Learning Mentors are varied, engaging and effectively integrate Individual Education Plans (IEP) targets.
- With the Behaviour Analyst, carry out assessments and complete reports as required.
- Monitor, maintain records and evaluate the progress of students, including daily, weekly and termly progress, ensuring all students achieve at least Expected Progress.
- Train staff in delivering effective NET sessions in both the Hub and community environments.
- Train staff in implementing behaviour plans and strategies consistently and effectively.
- Organise and manage learning environments, including the maintenance of resources, teaching spaces and displays.
- Assist in physical support and maintain personal equipment used by the student at the service and administer medication in line with the service policy.
- Supervise students during snack and lunch times.

Additional/ general

- Safeguarding the security, safety and wellbeing of students always during service hours, in the Hub and out in the community reporting any concerns in accordance with the Safeguarding Adult's Policy and Procedure.
- To monitor general health and safety within the teaching environments, rectifying any concerns or reporting via Schoolpod.
- To understand, adhere to and actively always implement all the policies and procedures of the service.
- To actively participate in staff meetings and staff training sessions.
- To develop knowledge of autistic spectrum disorders including the effect upon individuals and families and to demonstrate a thorough knowledge of Behaviour Analysis procedures and practice.
- To represent the charity at organised charity events and contribute to the organisation and running of the event when needed / out of hours on a voluntary basis.
- To undertake additional tasks as directed by the Head of Post-19.
- To operate and comply with all data protection policies and procedures.